

BURIED BENEATH TONS OF DEBRIS

TWELVE DEAD AFTER EXPLOSION OF GAS MAIN

Horrible Fate of Excavators in
Brooklyn Street—One Man
Roasted Alive.

New York, Nov. 20.—Twelve men are reported killed by the explosion of a gas main in an excavation of Gold and Front streets, Brooklyn, today. The explosion tore the streets to pieces for rods on either side and twelve men who were working in an excavation for a big sewer pipe were buried by the debris which fell in upon them, and they are believed to have been smothered or burned to death in the fire that followed.

Samuel Trout, who lived near the scene, lost his life in attempting to save a woman who was passing through Gold street at the time of the explosion, and fell into the trench. Trout was caught by the flames from the blazing gas main and roasted alive. The woman was dragged out of the trench and saved by a boy.

The workmen were digging a trench through Gold street for the installation of a 36-inch sewer pipe. The excavation was to be nearly forty feet deep and as the laborers removed the earth the walls had been shored up by large timbers. With Charles Schlegel, a city inspector of sewers, overseeing the work this afternoon, the men were working at the bottom of the trench when an accumulation of gas from a main which had been accidentally broken during the course of the work, exploded with tremendous force. The supporting timbers were ripped away and the high board walls toppled over on Schlegel and his men.

A large water main was broken by the force of the explosion and a perfect torrent of water began spurting up through the mass of wreckage. Almost side by side of these spurting geysers roared the flames from the gas which poured from the broken main. The firemen and workmen from the city water department and the gas company worked desperately together in an effort to check the flow of gas and water and to relieve the men who had been imprisoned.

There seems little hope, however, that any of those who had been at work at the bottom of the trench could have escaped death. Nearly half an hour's work was required to reach the body of Trout, who had been burned to death on the surface of the street. The bodies are believed to be buried under tons of earth.

EXTENSIVE PLOT TO SMUGGLE OPIUM

Drug, Hidden in Cement, Shipped From Hongkong to Manila.

Manila, Nov. 20.—Evidence of an extensive plot to smuggle opium here from China have been discovered. A fortnight ago workmen employed on the military buildings at Camp Stoenberg discovered a quantity of opium concealed in cement which had been shipped from Hongkong. Workmen engaged yesterday on the Manila forts opened a supposed barrel of cement and found it to be half full of opium. The opium has been turned over to custom officers and the government is now investigating.

PUBLISHERS UNITE.

Calgary, Nov. 20.—The two largest printing and publishing houses in Alberta, namely the Western Printing & Lithographing Company, and the Herald Publishing Company, have become one under the name of the Herald Western Company. The combined assets of the two concerns will aggregate \$100,000, and it is expected that the weekly payroll will run over \$1,000. The amalgamation is the result of close competition and the necessity for reducing cost of production.

ADVOCATES REMOVAL OF TARIFF ON STEEL

Rumor Concerning Mr. Carnegie's Attitude—Writes Article on Subject.

New York, Nov. 20.—When questioned concerning an article by him on the tariff which is soon to appear in a New York magazine, Andrew Carnegie declined to deny that he had advocated the removal of the entire tariff on steel. Mr. Carnegie's attitude was sought in view of a report that he had decided that the tariff could be removed without hitting the American steel industry, and that he intended to describe this in detail in the forthcoming article.

When seen last night Mr. Carnegie said: "The article has been announced in the usual fashion, and it will speak for itself in a few days. It is a comparative article to the one on rates and rebates which I wrote for the same magazine."

C. N. R. ENLARGING ITS FACILITIES

(Special to the Times).

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 20.—The buying out of the Duluth & Winnipeg railways by the Canadian Northern railway involved \$6,000,000. The C. N. R. will secure running rights over the Wisconsin Central later on.

PROF. SHORTT'S TRIBUTE TO LEMIEUX ACT

Best Legislative Effort Ever
Made for Preserving Industrial Peace.

Toronto, Nov. 20.—Converted to faith in its utility by his experience of its operation as chairman of several conciliatory boards, Prof. Shortt in an address before the University Club said he regarded the machinery of the Lemieux Act as being the best legislative effort ever made with the object of preserving industrial peace.

TORY LEADERSHIP.

Kingston Paper Advocates Selection of Sir James Whitney.

(Special to the Times.)
Kingston, Ont., Nov. 20.—The Standard (Conservative), discussing rumors of Tory plots to depose R. L. Borden from the leadership, advocated the selection of Sir James Whitney as leader, with Premier McBride, of British Columbia, as chief associate. It advises the party to get rid of both R. L. Borden and Geo. E. Foster, and ridicules the idea of Sir Herbert Tupper coming back, asking, "Who wants Tupper?" Even the Conservatives of Vancouver refused to have him as a candidate.

CATTLE DISEASE IN TWO STATES

OUTBREAK LEADS TO LIVESTOCK QUARANTINE

"Foot and Mouth" Disorder in
New York and Pennsylvania Stockyards.

Washington, D. C., Nov. 20.—Vigorous efforts will be made by the department of agriculture to stamp out the dreaded contagious and communicable ailment among cattle known as "the foot and mouth disease," which has been discovered among live stock in Pennsylvania and New York and as a result Secretary Wilson yesterday issued an order quarantining the states. During the existence of this quarantine the interstate or foreign transportation movement, trailing or driving cattle or sheep or the ruminants and swine from the states is prohibited.

The order issued by the secretary yesterday became effective immediately and makes the quarantine exceedingly rigid. It even requires that "no railroad cars or boats within the territory here in quarantine which have carried live stock, shall be moved between states until the said cars or boats have been cleaned or disinfected, with a five per cent solution of carbolic acid." Shipments of dressed carcasses of calves, sheep and other ruminants between states or to foreign countries are prohibited unless the hides or skins and hoofs are removed. It is required further that when shipments are being made from and to points in either of the two states quarantined, the cars containing the live stock must be sealed by an employee of the bureau of the animal industry. If the shipments are unloaded on route within the quarantined territory, it must be into pens or yards specially cleaned and disinfected for the purpose under the supervision of an employee of the bureau of animal industry.

By these vigorous measures the department hopes to prevent the disease from spreading widely. The disease was first discovered in a load of yearlings shipped from the East Buffalo stockyards to a point in Western Pennsylvania. Dr. W. P. Wonde, of the bureau of animal industry has gone to Michigan to investigate a suspected source of the origin of the present outbreak.

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SEVEN LABORERS DIE IN COLLISION

Illinois Passenger Train Runs
Into Crowded Hand-car.

Chicago, Nov. 20.—Seven track laborers on a hand-car were run down by a Chicago Burlington & Quincy road passenger train between Highland and La Grappe, Ill., to-day and killed. Three of the seven men died instantly and the others died soon afterwards. There were ten men on the hand-car. The other three escaped with slight injuries.

FAMINE AMONG B. C. INDIANS

FIVE HUNDRED SAID TO BE STARVING

Packs of Wolves Kill Off Game
—Fort George Nearest
Supply Post.

(Special to the Times.)
Vancouver, Nov. 20.—Five hundred northern Indians are on the verge of starvation, according to information received last evening from Fort George. The tribe which lives in the district, two hundred miles east of that supply post, had run altogether out of supplies three weeks ago, and were living on what they could beg from white prospectors.

The over-running of the country by packs of wolves is primarily responsible for the condition of the Indians. Prospectors from the Ingonia, declare that these animals have been seen as high as forty in a pack, and they have killed all the game.

FRENCH CRUISER WRECK ON CORSICAN COAST

Warship in Critical Position—
Accident Occurs During
Manoeuvres.

Ajaccio, Corsica, Nov. 20.—The French cruiser Conde ran on the rocks off the Corsican coast to-day during a heavy storm and her position is critical. There was no loss of life. The accident occurred during the manoeuvres. As soon as the plight of the Conde was seen the other warships that were nearby approached and aided in the rescue of the crew. Efforts were then made to pull the Conde off the rocks but they were unavailing.

The Conde is a cruiser of 10,000 tons displacement and is 460 feet long. She is built of steel, has three screws, and was launched in 1902. She has a complement of 615 men.

STUDENTS MALTREATED BY MONTREAL POLICE

"Beaten Into Unconscious-
ness" During Celebrations
on Theatre Night.

Montreal, Nov. 20.—Starting at 9 o'clock on Wednesday evening and continuing until 3 o'clock yesterday morning, aldermen on the police committee remained in session, listening first to strong evidence from McGill students, charging brutal treatment by policemen on theatre night, October 29th, and later to opposite versions of affairs given by constables who were on duty on the night in question.

More than a dozen students were separately examined under oath. They gave a vivid account of being dragged and kicked by policemen in plain clothes. All said they were assaulted without provocation. Dr. Anderson swore that Index, the student, had his face disfigured for life as the result of the usage he had received. Index remained practically unconscious for several hours after the row, and owing to his condition had been unable to resume his studies since. Blanchard, another student, had his cheek cut to the bone. Three students swore that they had been knocked unconscious or dazed by the blows administered to them.

There were twenty policemen on duty in East street, near the scene of the main row. The evidence showed that not any of these were in uniform. The policemen examined all swore that they had not used their batons. Several storekeepers were called to testify that their windows had been painted by students on theatre night.

NEW THEATRE COLLAPSES.

Winnipeg Structure Costing \$30,000 Is
Converted Into Debris.

Winnipeg, Nov. 20.—At 8 o'clock last evening the new Grand theatre, at the corner of Jarvis and Main streets, collapsed, covering the sidewalk with debris. The building was receiving the finishing touches, and had been built at a cost of thirty thousand dollars. Fortunately no one was injured, though several people passing on the sidewalk had narrow escapes. The theatre was built by W. J. Gilman, of New York.

BEER WITHOUT HOPS.

Premier Asquith to Introduce Bill
Proposing the Use of Substitutes.

London, Nov. 20.—An announcement interesting to American hop growers, whose products are in great demand in this country, was made by Premier Asquith yesterday afternoon, to the effect that a bill would shortly be introduced in the House of Commons proposing the use of hop substitutes in the manufacturing of beer.

DEPUTY MINISTER OF LABOR.

(Special to the Times.)
Ottawa, Nov. 20.—F. C. Arkland has been appointed deputy minister of labor in succession to Mackenzie King.

CANADA'S IMPERIAL COMMISSIONER

(Special to the Times).

Ottawa, Nov. 20.—Mackenzie King leaves for China from Vancouver on December 9th as imperial commissioner, especially representing Canada at the international conference next January in Peking on the suppression of the opium traffic.

B. C. AS RESIDENCE FOR BRITISH SOLDIERS

Retired Army Officers May Settle
in Province—Col. S. B.
Gordon to Report.

(Special to the Times.)

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 20.—On his return from a tour of British Columbia, Colonel S. B. Gordon (retired), of London, said he had accompanied R. Marpole, executive agent of the C. P. R., to British Columbia, to make a report as to whether British Columbia was a good place for a retired British army officer to settle in. He travelled all over Vancouver Island, and the fruit-growing districts of the province on the main line, including the Okanagan, Kootenay and Nelson districts. He was very favorably impressed, and while he did not want to give his report prematurely, he expressed the hope that he could induce many British officers to settle in British Columbia and on Vancouver Island. Already in British Columbia there are many retired army officers settled on fruit farms and ranches.



SIR WILFRID LAURIER.

To-day Canada's Premier is celebrating his sixty-seventh birthday.

FIFTEEN MILES OF SOLID FOREST FIRE

Destruction of Arkansas National Forest Preserves is
Threatened.

Little Rock, Ark., Nov. 20.—Dispatches received here indicate no abatement of the forest fires which have been burning in this state for some days. Already a great amount of property has been destroyed. A Men, Ark., dispatch says fifteen miles of solid fire is sweeping through the Kiamish mountains in Eastern Oklahoma, and threatens to destroy the Arkansas National forest preserves. Steps have been taken by government officials to check the progress of the fire.

CO-EDUCATION MERELY MEANS "FLIRTATION"

Censorship Established Over
"Boy and Girl Whisperings"
in Glasgow Varsity.

(Special to the Times.)

Glasgow, Scotland, Nov. 20.—Co-education has been passing through sharp criticisms here during the last few weeks in which the senate of the university of Glasgow several times has forcibly expressed the opinion that co-education is not working well so far as the relationship of young men and young women students is concerned. This relationship, it is asserted, gradually has become merely one of "boy and girl flirtation."

One of the women lecturers has been appointed as "censor of morals" and it is expected she will at least bring to an end the "disgraceful whispering in corridors" which seems to be, according to students themselves, the extent to which any flirtation ever went. The censor has been completely boycotted by the students.

ROCKEFELLER IS CROSS-EXAMINED

OIL KING'S INFORMATION OF MEAGRE CHARACTER

Parts of His Business Which
He Fails "Quite to Com-
prehend."

New York, Nov. 20.—John D. Rockefeller was again on the witness stand when the hearing into the Standard Oil Company was resumed to-day. His cross-examination was at once commenced by Frank B. Kellogg, special assistant district attorney.

Mr. Kellogg said that the cross-examination would not be confined to the period from 1882 to 1887, concerning which Mr. Rockefeller gave evidence on his direct examination, but would cover also subsequent developments which are connected directly with those of the period described by Mr. Rockefeller.

In response to questions about the hazardous nature of the oil business owing to the possibility of failure of supply, Mr. Rockefeller said that the production of crude oil in the Pennsylvania fields had steadily increased from 1882 to 1900.

Mr. Kellogg read figures from an official report showing that the Pennsylvania fields reached its highest point of production in 1900.

Mr. Rockefeller denied that the supply of crude oil had always been ample, and asserted that it had fluctuated, but that the supply is larger now than when he was actively engaged in the business. He was asked about the development of oil fields in Ohio and Oklahoma, but said that he knew little about them as they had been worked actively only since he retired from business. He described the drilling and production of oil as of the character of a mining business. He said it was the policy of his company to pay for its oil at the wells, and that the larger part of the oil refined was purchased from the producers.

You have been prosperous since the beginning, asked Mr. Kellogg.

"Yes."

"Do you consider a business hazardous that on an original investment of \$37,000,000 paid dividends amounting to \$23,000,000, and had left a surplus of \$30,000,000?"

"I do not consider the amount of money made determines whether the business is hazardous or not," said Mr. Rockefeller.

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RELAY CARRYING MESSAGE TO PRESIDENT

Y. M. C. A. Boys Engaged in
Race From New York to
Washington, D. C.

New York, Nov. 20.—More than one thousand boy runners will take part in the Y. M. C. A. race to Washington which will start from this city at 3 o'clock this afternoon, bearing a silver tube containing a message to President Roosevelt. The first youngster will leave the international branch of the Y. M. C. A. in Twenty-eighth street. He will be quickly relieved, however, the distance for each relay being limited to 150 yards.

In the race to Chicago last summer each runner covered more than half a mile. The boy who was selected to make the start has a patriotic sounding name, peculiarly appropriate for the occasion. He is George Washington, Wilcox, of the Washington Heights Y. M. C. A. As there will be no running through the night, which is a departure from the rules of the race to Chicago, the tube will not reach Washington till late on Saturday.

HIGH HANDED ACTION.

U. S. Immigration Official Forces Man
Over Border and Then Arrests Him.

Emerson, Mass., Nov. 20.—There is considerable indignation in town over what is termed high handed action on the part of an United States immigration official here on Wednesday. At a late hour Officer Smith, of the United States immigration staff, went to the home of James McQueen, a one-armed man, and forcibly ejected him from his house, taking him over the border and placing him under arrest.

McQueen failed to appear at Fergus Falls, Minn., last May on a summons, and the authorities have been after him since. The district court opens at Fergus Falls to-day, when McQueen will be given a hearing.

MONTREAL'S FIRE CHIEF.

Montreal, Nov. 20.—The fire committee has recommended the appointment of Deputy Chief Tremblay in place of Chief Benoit at the head of the fire brigade. Chief Benoit has asked to be relieved of the position on January 1st next.

WESTINGHOUSE INTERESTS.

New York, Nov. 20.—The readjustment committee which has been at work on a reorganization of the Westinghouse interests to-day declared the reorganization plan in effect from to-day.



MATRIMONIAL BLISS.

A female doctor advocates smoking for women who have nervous disorders. It will be so easy for mother, when the baby is yelling, to light a cigar, put her feet upon the fender, and forget all about it.—Toronto Star.

CARES OF OFFICE WEIGH ON BUELOW

EMPEROR NOT TO BE MENTIONED IN REICHSTAG

Explanation of Potsdam Audi-
ence to Be Made by
Chancellor.

Berlin, Nov. 20.—Acting upon the advice of Chancellor Von Buelow, Count Von Stoleberg, the president of the Reichstag will endeavor to prevent all reference to Emperor William for the present in the Reichstag discussions. The course has been decided upon in order to quiet public feeling and to lessen the opportunities for agitation.

The chancellor will speak at the end of the month on the question of his responsibility and the meaning of his recent audience with the Emperor.

Prince Von Buelow is reported to-day to be nervously depressed, and more than ever disposed to resign from office when a good opportunity arises. He is more easily tired now than before his recent illness, and is looking forward to the rest and pleasure of private life.

"FISH TRUST" FAILURE.

Audit Shows Creditors Will Only Receive
35 Cents in the Dollar.

Chicago, Ill., Nov. 20.—At a meeting of the creditors' committee of bankers behind closed doors in the Corn Exchange National Bank of Chicago yesterday, the question was seriously discussed, it is said, of asking the states attorney to use his judgment in laying the failure of A. Booth & Co., known as the "Fish Trust," before the Cook county grand jury. This decision of a criminal action, it is said, came after a final audit of the company's assets, which showed that the creditors will receive, it is claimed, only 35 cents on the dollar.

PAID FOR THEIR FUN.

Halifax, Nov. 20.—Six Dalhousie students arrested on Wednesday night for rioting and assaulting police, were let off on a week's suspended sentence and fined two hundred dollars to make good the damage.

GOES TO MEDITERRANEAN.

Toronto, Nov. 20.—Attorney-General Foy leaves to-morrow for a two months' trip to the Mediterranean.

DOUKHOBOURS PROGRESS TOWARDS CIVILIZATION

Result of Stock-raising by Set-
tlement at Veregin,
Sask.

(Special to the Times.)

Winnipeg, Man., Nov. 20.—Secretary Potapoff, of the Doukhobour community of Veregin, Sask., is in the city purchasing winter supplies for seven thousand Doukhobours in the community. The "Douks," this fall will sell a thousand head of cattle, four horses, besides four manufactured in the Veregin mill.

HER PROGRESS AND DESTINY

SPEAKERS LAUD CANADA AT NEW YORK BANQUET

Elections Tested Excellence of
Free "Institutions," Says
Ambassador Bryce.

New York, Nov. 20.—The annual banquet of the New York Chamber of Commerce was held last night in the Waldorf Astoria. Gilbert Stuart's famous portrait of Washington, flanked on either side by portraits of Premier Laurier of Canada and President Diaz of Mexico, looked down upon the diners, and the principal formal addresses dealt with the United States and her two neighbors on the North American continent. The guests of honor were Ambassador Bryce, Joseph Godoy, Mexico's charge d'affaires in Washington; Byron Walker and Hon. Clifford Sifton of Canada, the one speaking on industry and the other on progress in the Dominion.

Mr. Bryce, in his speech, said that "the recent elections, both in the United States and Canada, were a test of the excellence of free institutions."

Byron Walker spoke on the industrial future of Canada.

"We are building railroads at the rate of a thousand or more miles per annum," he said, "and in a few years doubtless we shall have three completely equipped transcontinental railroad systems. Truly, a remarkable accomplishment for seven or eight million people."

Mr. Walker said the total foreign trade of Canada had increased more than 100 per cent in the last ten years. The Hon. Clifford Sifton, of Ottawa, former minister of the interior, in his remarks declared that the refusal of the United States to renew the reciprocity treaty and then the passage of the McKinley bill, causing Canada to stagger for many years, were the best things that could have happened to her, as it threw Canada back on her own resources. "Our destiny," added Mr. Sifton, "unquestionably is to be permanently a portion of the empire—one of sisterhood of self-governing nations under the British Crown."

Calling attention to the close connection between the histories of the United States and Canada, James J. Hill showed the importance of trade between the two countries, and scored what he called the policy of mutual exclusion. He said: "I believe that the most natural, the most rational, the most highly profitable commercial status between Canada and the United States is absolute freedom of trade."

Letters of regret were read from President Roosevelt, Governor Hughes and Lord Grey, the governor-general of Canada.

NATIONALIZATION ELEVATORS.

Regina, Sask., Nov. 20.—A conference between the premiers of Manitoba, Saskatchewan and Alberta, and the executive of the Grain Growers' Association of the three provinces has been arranged to take place here on the 24th inst. for the purpose of discussing the feasibility of nationalizing the elevators of the three provinces. Premier Roblin, of Manitoba, has been notified and has agreed to come, and so has Premier Rutherford, of Alberta. Just what the outcome will be, it is difficult to predict, as Rutherford, Gov. of Saskatchewan, is very reticent on the question.

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CURRANTS, cleaned, 8 lbs. for 25c
SULTANA RAISINS, per lb 10c
SEEDED RAISINS, Victoria Cross, 16-oz. pkts. per pkt 10c
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SHELLED ALMONDS, per lb 40c
INDEPENDENT CREAMERY BUTTER, per lb, 25c; 3 lbs. for \$1

ALBERTA DAIRY BUTTER, per lb 25c
MUSTARD, Coleman's, 1/2-tin 25c
PICKLES, Crosse & Blackwell's Onions, Walnuts, Chow (mixed), large bottles, each 25c
PEARLINE, 2 pkts for 25c
PEAS, BEANS, CORN, Tartan brand, per tin 10c
TOMATOES, Tartan brand, 2 tins for 25c
BAKING POWDER, Price's or Royal, 12-oz. can 40c
TOILET SOAP, 6 large cakes 25c
TETLEY'S LOOSE TEA, 4 lbs. for \$1
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FRENCH WARSHIPS MAY VISIT ST. PIERRE

Cherbourg, Nov. 20.—The French cruisers Admiral Aube and Gueydon to-day received orders to take on board provisions for a long cruise. The destination of these warships is believed to be St. Pierre, Miquelon, where there has been some trouble and disorder recently among the people over the school question.

MORRIS MAY WIN IN NEWFOUNDLAND

Recount in Constituency Where Bond Supporter Has Majority of One

(Special to the Times.)
Halifax, N. S., Nov. 20.—In the recent Newfoundland election Harbor Grace returns two opposition candidates and one government, Dave, having a majority of one over Judge Seymour. A recount has begun and the result will not be known until Saturday night. Mr. Moulton, opposition member-elect for Burgoe, says he believes Morris will have a government in Newfoundland. He believes that Seymour will likely be elected on the recount. This makes the parties stand: Opposition 19, government 17.

CHINESE LOAN IS FLOATED IN EUROPE

Satisfactory Reception Indicates That Stability of Empire is Assured.

Tokio, Nov. 19.—Stocks on the Tokyo exchange have recovered to almost their original figures and bonds are advancing. The announcement that the loan negotiated in Paris and London for the ten million dollars had been over-subscribed five times, has been received with satisfaction and has been accepted as an indication that Europe is satisfied that China is safe.

LOVER'S MIDNIGHT CRIME.

Oregon City Man Sentenced to Death For Killing 16-Year-Old Girl.

Oregon City, Ore., Nov. 20.—Math Janciga was the morning sentenced to be hanged for the murder of 16-year-old Mary Sorokar on July 11th. The murderer listened calmly while Judge McBride advised him to make preparations in the short time between now and January. Janciga, a jealous lover, climbed into the girl's upstairs bedroom at midnight and shot her.

MEN BLOWN 50 FEET.

Brownsville, Pa., Nov. 20.—One man was blown to pieces and five others probably fatally injured early to-day when a quantity of dynamite exploded in the shaft of the Simpson coal mine, four miles south of here.

"WILD CAT" PROSPECTURES.

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 20.—The provincial secretary's department here has issued warning against "Wild Cat" mining companies. Complaints have been made to the department that the companies are violating the companies act in the most flagrant manner by ignoring on prospectuses the information the law requires. Action will likely be taken by the department against several companies.

SIR WILFRID'S BIRTHDAY.

Ottawa, Ont., Nov. 20.—Sir Wilfrid Laurier is to-day receiving a host of telegrams congratulating him upon the occasion of his 67th birthday. He left this afternoon with Lady Laurier for the southern states for two weeks' rest.

M. P. P. UNSEATED.

Montreal, Que., Nov. 20.—J. W. Levesque, who defeated Hon. Mr. Levesque, Conservative leader in the legislature in Laval, was unseated to-day.

KING TO RECEIVE HON. R. LEMIEUX

London, Nov. 20.—King Edward receives the Hon. Mr. Lemieux to-morrow and the Prince of Wales entertains him at dinner.

ROCKEFELLER IS CROSS-EXAMINED

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He was then asked about the trust agreement of 1882 and whether the trust certificates did not show a value of \$70,000,000 and that the stocks held under the agreement had an actual value of \$55,710,698.

Mr. Rockefeller said he believed those figures were correct. Mr. Kellogg then asked whether the stock certificates issued thereafter were for stock dividends or for additional properties acquired, but John G. Milburn, of Mr. Rockefeller's counsel, objected on the ground that this was not within the scope of Mr. Rockefeller's direct testimony.

Mr. Rockefeller replied: "I suppose so."

After Mr. Milburn had again objected Mr. Rockefeller said that a stock dividend of \$15,000,000 was made in 1886, and that the stock of the company was then \$48,328,900.

Then up to the present time there has been issued \$13,120,000 for cash or property," asked Mr. Kellogg.

"I cannot tell."

"Well, what would make the total value of cash and property turned, inclusive of money earned, and turned back into the property?"

Mr. Rockefeller said he did not quite comprehend the increase of \$13,000,000, and Mr. Kellogg discontinued this line of inquiry. He next asked: "The record shows that up to 1906 the net earnings of the company were \$551,922,904. What was the dividend in 1907?"

"I should say about 40 per cent."

"That was about \$220,000,000?"

"That would be a million in favor of the poor old Standard," said Mr. Rockefeller. He added that the net earnings for 1907 were approximately \$80,000,000.

Mr. Kellogg again asked if he considered the business risky on such a showing and Mr. Rockefeller again retorted that the profits did not determine the risk. It was evident that the business was prosperous. He assented to Mr. Kellogg's figures showing that the company carried \$400,000,000 from 1890 to 1906. Adding the earnings of 1907 would give a total earning of \$570,000,000.

"Then where does the hazard of the business come in?" asked Mr. Kellogg.

"In the first place since the first refinery was built, more than 50 years ago, we have been prepared at any moment day or night to hear the fire alarm. We are dealing with a very explosive product. Fires are constantly occurring."

"But your profits were above your fire losses which have been charged to profit and loss account?"

"Yes sir," Mr. Rockefeller said another risk was the peculiar construction of the refining machinery which could be used for no other purpose. One could never tell when he would awake and find the crude oil supply exhausted.

Mr. Kellogg then asked Mr. Rockefeller about the Standard Oil agreement with the Pennsylvania railway in 1877 in which the Pennsylvania agreed to pay back 10 per cent of the freight rates which the Standard paid.

The witnesses said this agreement followed the rate war between the N. & E. lines and that there was an agreement whereby he was to equalize the amount of freight distributed by the different roads.

Mr. Kellogg read the agreement which showed that it provided that the Standard Oil Company was to ship 2,000,000 barrels of oil a year. When the government counsel asked the other railways beside the Pennsylvania made a like agreement for a ten per cent rebate, Mr. Rockefeller referred him to the men who made the negotiations.

Replying to Mr. Kellogg's question whether the Standard Oil Company was the only one to get the rebate, the witnesses said that the water value of business given by the Standard made a like agreement for the rebate and that in these days it was the custom for large shippers to receive what all shippers then and now seek," said Mr. Rockefeller. He could not recall what Daniel O'Day's connection with this matter was, but said Mr. O'Day was general manager of the Columbia Coal Oil Company which was purchased by the Standard in 1877.

Mr. Kellogg then read letters of Mr. O'Day to Mr. Cassatt of the Pennsylvania railway, in which it was stated that the American Transfer Company received a rebate of 20 cents a barrel from the Lake Shore road, and it was requested that the Pennsylvania give the same rebate. It was shown in the letters that the Pennsylvania did so.

"Don't you know that Mr. O'Day and Mr. Cassatt both testified that by the American Transfer Company the Standard Oil Company was not only paid a rebate of 20 cents a barrel on its own shipments, but a rebate on the shipment of oil by independent refineries?" asked Mr. Kellogg.

"My attention has been called to such testimony," said Mr. Rockefeller. The witness said that he was president of the Standard Oil Company and had general direction of it at that time.

"Did you know of the contract whereby the Standard was to obtain 20 cents a barrel in rebate on outside shipments?"

"I may have known of it generally at the time. I had nothing to do with the contract." The witness said he could not recall whether Mr. Cassatt had testified that these rebates were paid to the American Transfer Company. His mind, he said, was engaged in more important problems.

Recess was then taken for luncheon. During the noon intermission, John

D. Rockefeller took to task the newspaper reporters for printing his name in connection with what he had said "on the care of the stomach."

"Don't you boys think you violated my confidence," he asked with a quizzical smile. "I meant what I said for your special benefit, but I suppose the advice is good for everybody, so I don't care very much." Mr. Rockefeller then asked one of the artists who had been sketching him to let him see the picture.

"I wish I had your talent," said the richest man in the world, gazing earnestly at the portrait of himself.

"I wish I had yours," quickly responded the artist.

Mr. Rockefeller laughed heartily and extended his hand, which the artist shook, the Standard Oil man saying: "We ought to feel better."

After the recess Mr. Kellogg took up with Mr. Rockefeller the rates for transportation of oil prior to the construction of the trunk pipe lines. Prior to 1881, he said, all of the crude oil shipped to the seaboard by the Standard Oil Company was carried by railway.

WIND STORM MADE TROUBLE WITH WIRES

Last Night Several Lines Were Put Out of Commission—Repairs Being Made.

The wind storm of last evening played fast-and-loose with wires of all sorts, and was responsible for a lot of trouble to the telegraph and telephone companies especially. Poles were blown down, wires broken or crossed, and the linemen were out for hours trying to locate the trouble.

The C. P. R. Telegraph Company was pretty fortunate this time, having little trouble. The Western Union was tied up for a while this morning through lines being down. The government telegraph system has the wires down between here and Sooke, and there is believed to be some breaks further up as well.

The B. C. Telephone Company had a good deal of trouble with crossed wires, but had got things straightened out this morning. In Victoria West the service has been interrupted by the blowing down of a number of small poles and the breaking of the lines. The Vancouver line has also suffered. The Nanaimo line is down above Duncan, a stretch of poles having been broken off, bringing down the wires.

The city lighting system had two circuits open for a time during the early part of the evening, owing to broken wires, but Supt. Hutchinson had these all right again by nine o'clock. The fire alarm system was out of order to some extent all afternoon and evening, ringing false alarms every now and then.

The B. C. Electric Company had a little trouble with crossed wires, but nothing of importance, the officials report.

PROSPECTIVE ALDERMEN ARE STILL APPEARING

J. R. Westcott and A. G. Sargison Have Been Mentioned as Candidates.

Aldermanic rumors continue to circulate, and new names are suggested as possible candidates.

In Ward 4, J. Russell Westcott has been approached and asked to allow himself to be put in nomination. Speaking to a Times reporter to-day Mr. Westcott said he had not made up his mind one way or the other, but appreciated the honor of being thought a suitable person for the position.

A. G. Sargison is talked of as a Ward 5 candidate. He admitted this morning that he had been advised by some James Bay residents to come forward but so far, he said, he had not considered the matter sufficiently to state what he was likely to do.

—Lim Dat took out a building permit this afternoon for an eight-room structure to be used as cabins and to cost \$2,400. The building is to be of brick on a concrete foundation, and the roof covered with corrugated iron. Mrs. Jane A. Trifiroff has been granted a permit for a residence at the corner of Camosun and Richardson streets, to cost \$3,000. William Baxter, Lady-smith street, is adding a kitchen to his residence at an outlay of \$100.

DEMENTED MAN SUICIDES.

(Special to the Times.)
Vancouver, Nov. 20.—Andrew Ross, while demented, committed suicide to-day by shooting himself through the heart.

DIED.

DOUGALL—Pauline Blanche, beloved wife of Fredk. Charles Dougall, aged 35 years, a native of Victoria, B. C. The funeral will take place on Monday, Nov. 23rd, at 8.45, from the residence of her father-in-law, John Dougall, Esq., 518 Cook street, and 9 o'clock at the Roman Catholic Cathedral.

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ANGLICAN SYNOD CLOSES SESSION

REPORT OF COMMITTEE ON BISHOP'S ADDRESS

Proposal to Build Cathedral to Mark Jubilee of Diocese.

At the closing session of the Anglican Synod held yesterday in the Christ church school room, Rev. J. H. S. Sweet, the clerical secretary, read the report of the committee, which was appointed to consider the bishop's address.

(1) They desired to place upon record their strong feeling of gratitude to Bishop Montgomery, the able secretary of the C. M. S. for his strenuous efforts in bringing about the assembling of the great Pan-Anglican congress, as well as upon the most signal degree of success which had attended upon these his exertions, together with their keen and lively appreciation of the prominent part which had been taken in the proceedings of this congress by the delegates from this diocese of British Columbia.

(2) As regards the contribution which was made upon the part of this diocese as a special thankoffering, and which was placed upon the altar of St. Paul's cathedral, upon the 24th day of June, of the present year, they desired to express the conviction that the amount of this gift—\$400—in no way represented, in any proper manner, either the wealth or the willingness to give, of the members of the Church of England in this diocese.

(3) They rejoiced that they had ceased to condemn marriage with a deceased wife's sister, but prayed for tenderness in the treatment of those who erred, rather against the form, than the spirit of that rule, further suggesting that the table of affinity touching marriageable persons be placed in the porches of all church buildings in this diocese.

Rev. Canon Beaulieu: "I understood that the question relating to marriage with a deceased wife's sister was entirely dropped in the great conference, and I accordingly move that these words be omitted, being replaced by 'divorced persons.'"

Bishop Perrin: "It is quite true that no resolution was passed at the congress in reference to the vexed question of the propriety of marrying a deceased wife's sister."

Rev. Canon Beaulieu: "But the posting in a conspicuous place of the table of affinity, the degrees in relationship, within which marriage is prohibited, is highly desirable."

The change in the clause, which was suggested by Rev. Canon Beaulieu, was made.

(4) No further progress had been accomplished in the matter of introducing religious education into the public schools, but an attempt would be made to see what could be done in this relation before the next meeting of the synod.

(5) This synod expressed its devout thankfulness to Almighty God for the prevalence among the members of the congress of a strong feeling in favor of the reunion of all Christian bodies, as it was clearly the first duty of every Christian to promote this reunion by every honest means which might come within his power.

This clause was so amended as to include efforts of the general synod of the Church of England in Canada, in the promotion of the same desirable object.

(6) They fully recognized the necessity existing for the establishment of a theological college in intimate relation with the proposed university in this province, and strongly commended the support of this important project.

(7) They expressed a strong feeling of gratitude to the Ven. Archdeacon Scriver for his kindly and most capable administration of the diocese during the absence of the lord bishop.

(8) They referred with the deepest regret to the lamented death of Chancellor Drake, who was one of the very strongest of supporters of the church's interests in this city, while they noted with lively satisfaction the elevation of Mr. Lindley Crease to the very responsible position of chancellor, and of Mr. E. T. Wootton, of the parish of St. Barnabas, to the position of registrar.

(9) They strongly approved of the employment of lay readers, throughout the diocese, as a practice which was deserving of the warmest encouragement.

(10) They recognized with much concern the present deficit in the funds of the mission board and pressed upon his lordship, the bishop, the rural deans, clergy and churchwardens, the advisability of bringing this matter, at

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the very earliest possible moment, before the various parishes in this diocese, with a view of finding a suitable remedy for this unfortunate state of affairs.

(11) They urged that the building of a new cathedral be seriously taken up in the near future, while they warmly commended the work which was being proposed to be done, as well as that which had already been accomplished, by the St. Andrew's Brotherhood, and the Laymen's Missionary Movement, as being peculiarly deserving of the hearty support of the synod.

(12) They congratulated Rev. A. J. Hall, B. D., and his fellow-workers upon the excellent work which they were doing among the Indians in the neighborhood of Alert Bay.

The report was signed by Rev. J. H. S. Sweet, Rev. E. G. Miller and Beaumont Boggs, of St. Saviour's parish. It was considered clause by clause, and unanimously adopted.

The committee on statistical returns now consists of Rev. Canon Beaulieu, Rev. E. G. Miller, Beaumont Boggs, Frank Burrell and Rev. Silva White, of Nanaimo. The latter was yesterday appointed in place of Rev. Robert Connell, who was absent.

The committee on the question of bringing parishes under the Quebec system had no report to make to the synod.

Ven. Archdeacon Scriver spoke on the establishment of a theological college in some part of the province: Next February he said the diocese and two others in British Columbia would celebrate the 50th year of establishment. Canon Beaulieu drew attention to the matter of erecting a cathedral in Victoria as a fitting monument of the event.

On motion of Rev. Canon Beaulieu, seconded by Mr. Hiscok, it was resolved that this synod regards with favor the making of the building of a new cathedral as a suitable jubilee offering and memorial, and with a view of furthering this project, recommends that a committee be appointed to co-operate in this matter with the rector, churchwardens and the church committee of Christ church.

Bishop Perrin named the cathedral building committee, as follows: Mr. Justice Martin, Messrs. Boggs, Hayward, Wolley and Gard. While the clerical representatives will be Ven. Archdeacon Scriver, Rural Deans Leakey and Allen, and the clergy generally.

A resolution by Chancellor Crease, seconded by Canon Phillips Weller, in appreciation of the work of Bishop Perrin, was carried and suitably replied to by the bishop, with pleasing reference to the services of Mr. F. Burrell, the lay secretary, after which votes of thanks to the officers and the Woman's Auxiliary, which provided the luncheon, closed the proceedings.

TOWNS GROWING FAST.

Notable Development Along Grand Trunk Pacific Railway.

J. E. Dalrymple, assistant freight traffic manager of the G. T. P., recently returned to Winnipeg from an inspection trip over the road. There has been great progress in the growth of the towns along the line, and now there are a considerable number of people at Rivers, Birmingham, Fenwood, Jamin, Keliber (which is rebuilding after the fire), Punnichy, Rasmussen, Semens, Tate, Nikomis, Ven, Watrous, Iwana, Young, Zelma, Allen, Bradwell, Junata, Kinley, Leney, Biggar, Landis, Coblenz, Reford, Scott, Unley, Greenshields and Wainwright.

The largest towns are at the terminal points. There are now building passenger depots at Watrous, Biggar and Wainwright, and tenders are being called for several other depots to be completed by the first of the year.

The Grand Trunk Pacific now own more than 5,000 freight cars, which are being brought to the prairie section as business demands them. There are 30 locomotives, six sleeping coaches, six baggage coaches, 16 non-vestibule baggage coaches, and second class coaches, and the same number of first class vestibule coaches. There are a large number of other coaches under order for the passenger service and they will be delivered as the increase of traffic demands them. There is also a large number of live stock and refrigerator cars in course of construction, not including the flat and gondola cars used in construction work.

Heavy winds have somewhat delayed the aerial work on the big 2,700 foot bridge across the Battle river, but the work is being pushed ahead as fast as possible and will be shortly completed. The construction work on the G. T. P. is largely completed for the year, and a great amount of work has been done. The roadbed has been continually improved so that now there is good provision for putting on a rapid service when it is needed. During two seasons the new road has had a share in moving the wheat crop of the contiguous country and with the opening of next season it will be in shape to handle any traffic demanded of a modern railway.

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INQUEST HELD INTO DEATH OF C. AUBIN

Coroner's Jury Brings in Verdict of Accidental Death.

An inquest was held by Coroner Hart and a jury, of which Samuel Waller was foreman, yesterday afternoon into the death of Charles Aubin, who was killed by a fall from a staging while at work on the Princess Royal at the B. C. Marine Railway works.

Dr. Herman Robertson said he had received an urgent call to Bullen's ways at two o'clock on Wednesday, and on his arrival found the man dead. Deceased had a fracture of the vault of the skull and most probably a hemorrhage of blood on the brain. This was the cause of death.

William Raina, who had been working with Aubin at the time he fell, stated that they both were striking at a bolt in a plate on the bow of the Princess Royal. Aubin was working left-handed, and he right-handed. Aubin had his left foot on the edge of a plank and the force of the blow caused his foot to slip and carried him over.

He fell about four feet on a staging below and then pitched off head-first to the ground, striking on the handle of a wheelbarrow. The fall was one of seventeen feet in all.

"Was the scaffolding a safe one, in your opinion?" asked the coroner. "It was all right, well put up in every respect," witness replied.

"Was there any guard or rope to protect men?" "It was not necessary and it is not usual."

Raina said Aubin was a very careful workman.

Foreman Waller asked if it was the custom here to put up a scaffold without any protection, and was told that it was. He insisted that it was the custom in England to have protection, but the witness, himself an Englishman, denied this.

"Was it possible to put a rope about the staging?" the coroner asked. "It would get in the way of the hammer," witness replied, "and would be dangerous."

In reply to Juror Lorimer he said the platform was two feet wide. He declared the scaffold a safe one to work on and the accident likely to happen to anyone, young or old.

Arthur J. Daniels was standing close to where Aubin fell and helped to pick him up. Aubin was unconscious, Daniels considered the scaffolding quite safe. Aubin was standing in two planks, although there are usually three, and this was quite enough for a man striking bolts.

"Whose fault was it that there were no three planks?" asked Juror Lorimer. "No one's that I can see. A third plank would have been in the way. It is necessary to keep moving these planks to suit the work."

Daniels considered the staging was quite safe and the accident due to Aubin's foot slipping. A younger man would probably have saved himself by catching hold of the first stage on which he fell.

The jury consulted for about five minutes and returned a verdict of death by accident.

STAGE ROMANCE.
London, Nov. 20.—Another romance of the stage was recorded yesterday afternoon in the marriage of Eileen Orme, a musical comedy actress, to the Hon. Maurice Reid, heir of the Viscount Bridport. Miss Orme is 18 years old, and has appeared recently in "The Merry Widow." She is a sister of the better-known actress, Denise Orme, who is now in the ranks of the Royal Naval Reserve.

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MAY YOHE AGAIN COMES INTO LIMELIGHT

Former Lady Hope Appears in 'Frisco Attired in Costly Ermine.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 20.—A \$2,000 long ermine coat, richly inlaid with rare old lace, was the conspicuous attire of May Yohe as she sat alone in an upper box at the Orpheum a few nights ago and attracted the inquisitive gaze of hundreds.

But they didn't know her as May Yohe, the one-time stage favorite, or as the former Lady Hope of the wonderful Hope jewels, or as the wife of the dashing and disgraced Captain Putnam Bradlee Strong, whose romance startled San Francisco nearly ten years ago. Nor did she identify herself by any of these names. On the register of a downtown hotel she let it be supposed that she was "Mrs. M. Bacheller, New York."

"That is my mother's maiden name," explained the former Lady Hope. "I didn't wish to be known. I lived so quietly and peacefully in Portland for months till that recent newspaper publicity, and then I left. Was I trying to establish a residence there to secure a divorce from Captain Strong? Well, what of it?"

"I am on my way now for a trip round the world. I was to have sailed from Victoria, B. C., but my mother sent this coat out to me, and to save the duty on having it come to Canada, I came down here. So I am going to start from here in a week, go to Honolulu, Yokohama, Shanghai, Hong Kong, the South Sea islands, Auckland, and the principal cities of Australia, probably appearing with a vaudeville company from here. I will show if I can; the money's as good to me as to other people, though I have some now. People don't come to hear me sing; just to see the woman that had the Hope jewels."

"I don't know where Captain Strong is, and I don't care. He caused me lots of trouble. Ask him where the Hope jewels are."

"FRIEND OF AMERICA."
Mr. Whitelaw Reid's Tribute to Edmund Burke.

Whitelaw Reid, the American ambassador at the court of Saint James, visited Bath, England, recently to assist the corporation in their scheme of placing tablets on historic houses by unveiling one to Edmund Burke, who resided at 11 North Parade for a considerable period. Replying to the toast of his health at a public luncheon, Mr. Whitelaw Reid spoke of Bath's great antiquity, and described it as almost overpowering for the representative of a very young country to hear of its thousand years of continuous municipal government. He could assure them that in no one year since 1776 had the relations between the two countries been more cordial than now.

In the course of a brilliant eulogium of Burke he said: "He shone in every field where his abilities were exerted, and left a great record in economical reform, in maintaining the principles underlying the Revolution of 1688, and in resistance alike to the reactionary policy of the ministry, to injustice in India, and to the destructive tendencies of the French Revolution. But I may be pardoned for thinking that the highest service of his whole illustrious career was his outspoken sympathy with the American colonists, and his protracted and unflinching resistance to the measures which brought about the American Revolution."

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POLITICAL SUNSTROKE

The Conservative organ in this city is deeply exercised because of "the failure of the eastern press to understand the viewpoint of British Columbia on this (Oriental) question," which with becoming modesty it claims to have forced to the front in the last election. Really we fear a nervous breakdown on the part of our loquacious friend, if its self-imposed task of school master to the world is not soon relinquished.

Our observation of the articles in the eastern press is that they have sized up the situation in the west with a fair degree of accuracy, and the column-long attempt this morning to justify the course of Conservative speakers and papers, is only a weak and pitiable attempt to rehabilitate them. Not in ten years has anything happened in British Columbia, which will so thoroughly discredit newspapers which are supposed to be sane and fair leaders, as well as exponents of public opinion, as the gross misrepresentations, innuendoes, and downright falsehoods indulged in by papers like the Colonist during the late campaign. What must eastern newspaper editors, far removed from the passion of local sentiment, but cognizant of the status of the Japanese question, have thought on reading the hysterical misrepresentations of the whole matter from the Lemieux agreement to the things Mr. Preston did not say?

This morning's attempt to set the eastern papers right only aggravates the obsession which has seized the Colonist in regard to the Oriental question. It affirms that if the government took "the only course that could possibly be taken by the Canadian government," that although "the Lemieux agreement seems to be working satisfactorily" still "the government should be condemned." By such statements the Colonist takes its proper place among the irresponsible soap box agitators which are a nuisance in every community. The press of eastern Canada will kindly overlook the vagaries of our voluble friend. It is still suffering from the effects of political sunstroke.

Says John Houston of the Prince Rupert Empire: "Within the last month the different engineer parties engaged in location work have 'tied-on' to each other, and the main line of the G. T. P. is now finally located across the province of British Columbia. This work has taken two years and a half, and changes may yet be made. Is this not pretty good evidence that the McBride government were wrong in charging that Hon. William Templeman betrayed the province in not demanding that construction work on the G. T. P. be commenced and be proceeded with at the same time from both its eastern and western ends? If it has taken one of the best locating engineers in the west two years and a half to find the best route across a stretch of 700 miles of mountainous country, how many costly mistakes would have been made had construction

work been commenced before the line had been definitely located? Such is politics, and that unfair cry was used in the last election and had more effect in changing votes than had that other senseless cry, 'Better Terms.'"

We are informed this morning that the columns of the Times is hardly the place to look for a declaration of the intentions of the local government. Perhaps not; but we have a shrewd idea, based on what has taken place in the past that about the last repository of official intentions or secrets by the government over the Bay is the sanctum of the Colonist.

The removal of the Hindus to British Honduras now seems to be assured. In this matter, as in his treatment of the Oriental question Sir Wilfrid has handled a delicate matter with extreme skill. His work is none the less effective because it is attended by no pyrotechnics.

Citizens of Rosemont, a suburb of Montreal, want their dog tax remitted because they claim these animals constitute almost their sole protection against footpads. So inadequate does the police protection appear to be that the commissioners have decided on increasing the force to 650 men.

The Khan, writing in the Toronto Star, alleges that we are surrounded by madmen. There is a party named Von Buelow, who holds the same opinion.

What Other People Think

ON TO BLANCHARD!

To the Editor:—I am pleased to observe that some person by the name of England has suggested a modus operandi for the beautification of Pandora avenue, and trust he may succeed in carrying out his idea. I would ask that if he has a twig or bunch of daisies left over he will bring them to Blanchard avenue, a most fertile spot asking for the attention of a landscape gardener. The Telephone Co. has graciously begun the good work by planting some good sized logs there, but these do not seem to be even sprouting, due no doubt to neglect.

MY NAME IS MUD.

ON BEHALF OF THE DOG.

To the Editor:—Will you grant me space for a few words on behalf of some of our citizens, who, it would seem, have few friends in the city council this year? I have waited, hoping that a stronger voice than mine would speak for them. I refer to the clause in the Pound By-laws relating to dogs, viz. "And particularly no person shall within the fire limits have with him, or permit a dog to run on the public streets, unless the dog be attached by some sufficient means of securely attaching and retaining the dog." Do the men who try to impose such regulations realize the great hardship that must inevitably result? Very few people will trouble to take a dog out on a chain, and to prevent their roaming they must be tied up always, or confined often in very close quarters. It practically means that no dog whose owner does not, or cannot, walk outside the town can ever enjoy the luxury, to say nothing of the necessity, of exercise.

I know an instance now of an old and faithful Gordon setter whose owner says: "I could not keep him in; it would break his heart to be tied up, and I must have him killed." A kinder fate perhaps than being a prisoner day in and day out in a back yard.

There is no doubt that (owing entirely to the fact that, though there was a dog tax imposed, it was never properly enforced) there were many stray, homeless dogs that were certainly a nuisance, but there is some improvement of late in this respect.

A member of the S. P. C. A. wrote recently to the secretary of the R. S. P. C. A. in London, telling him of the restrictions on dogs in this place, and asking him what rules were adopted in England? I give his reply verbatim: "I may tell you at once that we have no laws in London, or in England in fact, to keep dogs from the business centres; the dog tax is enforced and is sufficient."

We are spared the distressing sight of a dog catcher's cart in the Old Land. A person who values his dog enough to pay the tax for it may surely be trusted to look after it. I trust, in common with many others, that the incoming council will see fit to rescind this ridiculous and inhuman clause in the by-laws.

Wise, just and humane laws will be respected and no others.

MARY KITTO.

TIMES HAVE CHANGED.

(Ottawa-Citizen.)

It was a woman who saw the first snake, but since then men have attended to that sort of thing.

IT NEVER RAINS IN VANCOUVER.

(Prince Rupert Empire.)

Judging by the way residents of Vancouver talk when they are in Prince Rupert, the sky above Burrard Inlet is never clouded and the rainfall is so small that instruments have not been made that will measure the daily precipitation accurately, so that the actual annual rainfall is a mere guess work. But it is different when they are at home. For the week ending October

that the rainfall at Vancouver is reported as 7.53 inches. For the same time the rainfall at Prince Rupert was 5.03 inches. Here we know it rains and being an upright and sober people, we tell the truth.

FARMS VS. MINES.

(Hamilton-Times.)

The mines of the Rand are expected to yield \$120,000,000 this year. That's a good deal. But three of Canada's young provinces yield as much in grain this year. So there's not so much for the Rand to crow about. And our grain crop is annually increasing while the mines are becoming exhausted.

GONE FAR ENOUGH.

(Montreal Herald.)

Manners are getting to be shocking bad in the South. Lynching negroes and eliminating gentlemen who dance with your best girl are not so bad, but when it comes to shooting editors the mark has been overstepped. The South should back up.

HOW THE SULTAN RAISES FUNDS.

The American Magazine has got hold of some remarkable revelations about the sultan of Turkey and his corrupt government. Following is a sample of the information that is presented in this article:

"However, when the sultan himself wishes money, he gets it at once with no admissible delay. When, for example, he was about to visit the Emperor of Germany, his pretended friend, Abdul-Hamid, prepared a remarkable reception. He constructed a special palace for the occasion, the Serasim Kiosk, furnished with luxurious Persian furniture, and the sultan himself superintended the most minute details. The wonderful illuminations, the public festivities, in honor of the emperor, the costly imperial gifts that he made to his friend, required the expenditure of several millions of dollars. Although Abdul-Hamid is worth three hundred millions of dollars, it would be absurd to think that this tremendous outlay came out of his majesty's own pocket. It was the people who paid for this whim of the pasha. They were simply ordered to pay an additional tax. When he happens to need money, which is too often, his majesty orders the governor of each province to furnish him with a stipulated amount. Varying, of course, according to the financial status of the district. If, however, the governor answers that there is no money available in the treasury, the palace replies: 'You must get it.' The civil governor then, knowing the penalty of non-compliance, at once summons the military governor, who proceeds to collect it by exacting it at the point of the bayonet. Under such conditions it is not difficult to play the generous host and the grand seigneur."

SUCCESS HUNG UPON A WORD.

As an illustration of the fact that the ridiculous is always treading on the heels of the sublime, Mr. Russell tells the following story of John Bright:

"The horrors of the Crimea hung like a nightmare over the country, and the House of Commons silent and spell-bound, was listening to the noble eloquence in which the great apostle of peace urged Palmerston to 'return the sword to the scabbard and save his country from the indescribable calamities of war.' Higher and higher rose the strain, till it reached a point where a false step, a faring note, a misplaced word, would have brought it down in hideous ruin. The angel of death has been abroad throughout the land; you may almost hear the beating of his wings. When the sentence was half completed, the hearers—as one of them told me afterwards—held their breath. If Bright had said 'flapping' instead of 'beating,' he would have been a lost man."

APACHE VENDETTA.

Bloodthirsty Feud Between Rival Hooligans in Paris.

The members of a notorious band of Apaches in the Belleville quarter of Paris have lately been engaged upon the work of exterminating each other. Two of the tribe named Eugene Tessier and Jules Schnerb quarreled, and the latter was seriously injured by a knife thrust in the lungs. Tessier was sent to prison.

Both sides had meanwhile started a vendetta. When the injured man was able to leave the hospital he bought a revolver, and breaking into the home of Tessier's parents sought to murder them. The police captured him, but as the Tessiers refused to prosecute, saying that it was a purely personal matter which they would settle themselves, the ruffian was released. He next attempted to kill the eldest daughter of the family, but missing her heart, the knife stuck in her arm but without inflicting a fatal wound.

The second son, Raymond Tessier, now set out in quest of Schnerb, but came across instead Schnerb's redoubtable lieutenant, one Van Gaver, who stabbed him between the shoulders with a bootmaker's knife, leaving him for dead in the streets.

A few days ago the vendetta claimed another victim. Eugene Tessier had been released from prison, so, arming himself with a knife, he sought out his enemies. Coming across Van Gaver, he plunged his knife into his body, inflicting a wound which will probably prove fatal.

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MISSSES' TWEED COATS, also plain serges. These are for little girls up to 12 years, in very natty styles, smart, attractive little garments that will please you and the children. Some are worth a great deal more, but the price to-morrow, 8:30, will be \$5.75

Saturday Sale of Linen Handkerchiefs

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WOMEN'S HANDKERCHIEFS, fine linen, nicely embroidered in pretty designs. These handkerchiefs are a little imperfect, that's one of the reasons we are able to offer them at this price. But these imperfections are very slight not affecting the appearance at all. Handkerchiefs are always handy at holiday time. Regular 40c and 50c. To-morrow morning, 8:30 a. m. 15c

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MEN'S BOOTS, stout laced boots and real vici kid boots, Blucher cut, stout and heavy soles and heels. Regular values \$2 and \$3.50. To-morrow \$2.25

YOUTHS' SCHOOL BOOTS, sizes 11 to 13. To-morrow \$1.25

BOYS' SCHOOL BOOTS, sizes 1 to 5. To-morrow \$1.50

Saturday Sale of Women's Neckwear

Values up to \$1.00 for 25c

Values up to \$1.25 for 50c

A quantity of the latest novelty neckwear at special prices for to-morrow. All kinds and styles that will please you, as they are very attractive. Values up to \$1, to-morrow morning, 8:30 a. m. 25c
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A Splendid Line at \$1.35

The cool weather is at hand; comforters are needed. Here's a chance to buy one at a very attractive price. These comforters are made of eurl in fancy designs of different kinds, and are filled with cotton enough to make them a good heavy weight. Extra good values they are, you will say when you see them. To-morrow morning at 8:30 \$1.35

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A quantity of Fancy Doylies, about one hundred in the lot. They are those nice Irish Crocheted Doylies, in very pretty designs indeed. The approach of the holiday season makes this offering exceptionally interesting. Now would be a good time to lay in a supply. Regular values 50c, 75c and \$1. To-morrow morning, 8:30 a. m. 25c

Two Splendid Umbrella Bargains To-morrow

The rainy season means that you must have an umbrella with you all the time. You'll probably lose several before spring, but you won't mind that if you take advantage of this offering.

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MEN'S UMBRELLAS, about 13 dozen to sell, the self opening kind, very strong. To-morrow morning, 8:30 \$1.00

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—D. H. Bale has been awarded the contract for a modern bungalow residence for Mrs. J. A. Paterson, to be erected on Richardson street.

There was only one case before the police magistrate this morning, and the court proceedings were short.

Far West Lodge, K. of P., will confer the rank of Page on several candidates at their meeting to be held this evening.

The funeral of the late Charles William Aubin took place this afternoon from the family residence, 2659 Third street. Rev. S. J. Thompson officiated.

The third card social of the season, given by the Young Men's Institute, was held on Wednesday evening last in the Institute hall. There was a large attendance of friends.

C. R. Sayer, of Winnipeg, the Y. M. C. A. Northwest field secretary, arrived in the city last evening and will address the men's meeting in Y. M. C. A. auditorium on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock.

The weekly practice of the Y. M. C. A. orchestra will be held to-morrow evening at 8 o'clock in their rooms, Broad street. All members are requested to be present, and any who would like to become members are cordially invited to attend.

The monthly meeting of the British Campaigners' Association will be held this evening at the drill hall. Lieut. Stern will occupy the chair. A number of applications for membership will be considered, and the accounts in connection with the Inkerman banquet will be submitted.

Members of the Fifth Regiment are reminded that the inspection of armories will take place at noon on Monday. Any accoutrements, such as rifles, bayonets, belts, pouches, frogs and haversacks, not in the armories before that time will have to be paid for.

Mr. and Mrs. Marks, who are just returning to the Malay peninsula, where they have been engaged in missionary work among the Malays and Chinese, will give an account of their work to-night in the Gospel hall, Pandora street, at 8 o'clock. All are welcome and there will be no collection.

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W. T. HARDAKER HAS

RETURNED TO CITY

He Attended the Olympic

Games in London and Had

Pleasant Trip.

W. T. Hardaker, of Superior street, returned on Monday from a trip to England and the continent and crossed the Atlantic for the twenty-ninth time. He went via New York and travelled on the Lusitania, returning by the Empress line and the C. P. R. Mr. Hardaker prefers the Lusitania for a travelling boat, and says he has never before crossed the Atlantic in such comfort and with such convenience. He left here in May last, spent a week each in New Haven and New York and proceeded to London, where he was present at the stadium and saw several of the Olympic games. Speaking of the disqualification of the American runner Carpenter, he says the decision of the judges was just and that it is borne out by the pictures taken during the race. He was in front of Donaghy when he fell in the Marathon and declares if the Italian had not been assisted to his feet he would never have risen of his own accord. He also saw deliberate fouling on the part of the American runners in the half-mile race.

He visited France, Germany and several cities on the continent and enjoyed an extended pleasure trip in each place. He saw Germany twenty-three years ago and on his present trip was astonished at the advance the country has made and at the improved conditions of the people although he found there was not the same freedom among the masses there as there is in America and Canada. Paris he found practically a neglected city from what it was on his previous visit. The city, he says, seems to be going to decay. While the same magnificence is apparent, there is, however, a lack of cultivation in the parks and gardens which are being allowed to deteriorate rapidly.

In South West London Mr. Hardaker was surprised by the growth of the population which six years ago when he was last there numbered 20,000. He says he found there are 300,000 inhabitants in that section of the great metropolis. The municipal ownership of electric tramways he discovered to have spread practically through the whole of London and the plant and lines to have increased tremendously.

Mr. Hardaker returned after spending a most enjoyable time but has a complaint of the lax system of attending to passengers and baggage on the C. P. R.

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Judge Lampman has gone over to Vancouver for a few days to attend to some pressing business of legal business before the county court for that district. Since Judge Cameron's death work has been piling up there and an effort is being made to relieve the pressure by having other county court judges take some of the work.

The death occurred yesterday of Pauline Blanche, wife of Fred. C. Dougall. Deceased, who was born in Victoria, was 39 years of age. The funeral has been arranged to take place on Monday morning from the residence of her father-in-law, John Dougall, 518 Cook street, at 8:45 a. m., and fifteen minutes later at the Roman Catholic cathedral.

NEW SCHEDULE FOR NORTHERN STEAMERS

Canadian Pacific Officials Arrange Sailings for Winter Months.

A new schedule for the C. P. R. northern coasting steamers has been arranged. The Amur is to be laid off for a short time to repair her stern and have a general overhauling. During that time her place will be taken by the Princess Beatrice. The new arrangements were made at a conference of C. P. R. officials held in Vancouver, there being present Captain J. W. Troup, superintendent of the coast steamship service; C. E. E. Cusher, assistant passenger traffic manager; H. W. Brodie, assistant general passenger agent at Winnipeg; and Mr. Foster, assistant general passenger agent at Vancouver.

Under the new arrangement the Princess May will leave Victoria on Monday, November 30th, at 11 p. m., and every second Monday thereafter until February 23rd. She will sail from Skagway on the southward trip every Saturday, arriving at Victoria on the following Friday. She will call at Campbell River, Alert Bay, Swanson Bay, Hartley Bay, Port Essington, Port Simpson and Ketchikan each way and at Juneau south bound.

The Princess Beatrice will go on the ways before commencing on the new run on Monday, December 7th, from this port. She will not in future go to Port Simpson, but her farthest point will be Prince Rupert, which port she expects to reach on Thursdays and leave on Fridays, for the Queen Charlotte Islands. She will spend Saturday, Sunday and Monday at the Queen Charlottes and leave Prince Rupert for home on Tuesdays, arriving at Victoria on Friday. This will give the Queen Charlottes a fortnightly service during the winter months. The ports of call will be Campbell River, Alert Bay, Swanson Bay, Hartley Bay, Port Essington, Skidegate, Queen Charlotte City, Lock Harbor, Jedway and Ikeda Bay.

The Queen City, which is now on Bullen's ways repairing, will carry the mails to the smaller places commencing Sunday, November 29th, on the following schedule:

Leave Victoria 8 p. m. Sundays, Nov. 29th, Dec. 13th and 27th, Jan. 10th and 24th, Feb. 7th and 21st.

Leave Vancouver 8 p. m. Mondays, Nov. 30th, Dec. 14th and 28th, Jan. 11th and 25th, Feb. 8th and 22nd.

The ports of call follow: Tuesdays—Van Andia, Blubber Bay, Lund, Quathlaski Cove, Port Khasan, Boat Harbor, Knox Bay and Alert Bay.

Wednesdays—Sointula, Port Rupert, Hardy Bay and all Rivers Inlet canneries.

Thursdays—Namu, Bella Bella, China Hat, Swanson Bay.

Fridays—Hartley Bay, Lowe Inlet, Chaxin, Port Essington, Skeena River canneries.

Saturdays—Prince Rupert, Metlakatla, Port Simpson, Nees Harbor, Port Nelson and Kincolth.

Return trip: Mondays—Prince Rupert, Port Essington and all canneries in slough and river.

Tuesdays—Lowe Inlet, Hartley Bay, Swanson Bay, China Hat.

Wednesdays—Bella Bella, Namu, Rivers Inlet.

Thursdays—Hardy Bay, Sointula, Alert Bay and Johnston Straits.

Arrive Victoria and Vancouver—Dec. 10th and 24th, Jan. 7th and 21st, Feb. 4th and 18th, Mar. 4th.

PANTAGES THEATRE.

"Twins" at the Pantages this week is one of the neatest and most cleverly constructed little farces imaginable, and during its time on is a constant source of amusement. The Hickman-Miller company play it in a pleasing manner, as each one of the company was especially engaged with a view to his or her adaptability. The great Kins-Nera, jugglers and balancers; Jenkins and Stockman, musical comedians; Al. Leonard, dancer and the illustrated song, "Just to Remind You, Dear," followed by the biograph, make a combination that pleases.

The ladies' hockey club will practice as usual on the Oak Bay grounds to-morrow afternoon.

Work commenced yesterday on the erection of the new business block to be erected by the B. Wilson Company on Chatham street. The contract has been awarded to Luney Bros., and will cost in the neighborhood of \$25,000.

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CANADIAN UNION
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Amateur Records Accepted—
American Body Turns Down
Portland Men.

At the annual meeting of the Canadian Amateur Athletic Union in Toronto last week, these officers were elected:

Honorary president, Deputy Chief Stark; president, J. C. Merrick, of Toronto; first vice-president, J. C. Litchgow, District vice-presidents: Maritime Province—John M. Lyons, Moncton; N. B. Eastern Canada—Harry Southam, Ottawa; Ontario—Rev. D. Bruce Macdonald, Manitoba—E. W. Du Val, Winnipeg; Man. Alberta—Hon. C. W. Cross, Edmonton; Alta. Secretary, N. H. Crow; treasurer, Inspector J. L. Hughes.

The following list of Canadian amateur records was compiled by Secretary Crow for presentation at the annual meeting of the C. A. A. U. It is official and correct up to November 9th.

Fifty yards run—5 3-5 sec. Robert Kerr.

Hundred yards run—9 4-5 sec. Robert Kerr.

Two hundred and twenty yards run—21 2-5 sec. P. J. Walsh, Robert Kerr.

Four hundred and forty yards run—45 sec. M. W. Long.

Eight hundred and eighty yards run—1 min. 25 2-5 sec. Irving S. Parkes.

One mile run—4 min. 41 4-5 sec. George W. Orton.

Two mile run—9 min. 48 2-5 sec. Geo. W. Orton.

Three mile run—14 min. 49 2-5 sec. Tom Longboat.

Five mile run—25 min. George Adams.

Ten mile run—52 min. 53 sec. George Adams.

Fifteen mile run—1 hour 25 min. 48 2-5 sec. Tom Longboat.

Twenty-five mile run—2 hours 38 min. 11 sec. Harry Lawson.

One mile walk—1 min. 45 sec. C. J. Skene.

Two mile walk—13 min. 51 sec. George Goulding.

Three mile walk—23 min. 25 sec. George Goulding.

Four mile walk—31 min. 29 sec. George Goulding.

Five mile walk—39 min. 45 sec. George Goulding.

Six mile walk—48 min. 3-5 sec. George Goulding.

Seven mile walk—58 min. 27 1-5 sec. George Goulding.

Eight mile walk—1 hour 5 min. 2 3-5 sec. George Goulding.

Nine mile walk—1 hour 13 min. 23 2-5 sec. George Goulding.

Ten mile walk—1 hour 21 min. 42 2-5 sec. George Goulding.

Hundred and twenty yards hurdles—15 2-5 sec. A. C. Kraenzler.

One mile relay (four men)—3 min. 41 4-5 sec.

Running broad jump—23 feet 6 1-2 in. A. C. Kraenzler.

Running high jump—6 ft. 2 1-2 in. J. K. Baxter.

Standing broad jump—10 ft. 2 1-2 in. George H. Barber.

Standing high jump—4 ft. 8 1-2 in. George H. Barber.

Running box step and jump—47 ft. 1 1-2 in. Dr. J. G. Macdonald.

Pole vault—12 ft. 5 in. E. B. Archibald.

Putting 16-lb. shot—45 ft. 10 1-2 in. George H. Gray.

Putting 12-lb. shot—43 ft. 11 1-2 in. John Bowie.

Throwing 16-lb. hammer—157 ft. John J. Flanagan.

Throwing 16-lb. weight (for distance)—39 ft. 19 in. Con Walsh.

Throwing 56-lb. weight (for height)—15 ft. 3 1-2 in. Con Walsh.

Throwing discus—125 ft. 5 in. Martin J. Sheridan.

Javelin—121 ft. 8 in. E. B. Archibald.

AMERICAN RECORDS.

New York, Nov. 19.—Forrest Smithson's claim for a world's record of 6 2-5 seconds for the 50-yard high hurdle in doors was not allowed by the A. A. U. in its annual meeting, and the famous Oregon hurdler was further left in the shade by A. B. Shaw, of Dartmouth, being recognized as the world's record for the 120-yard high hurdles in 15 1-5. No explanation of the slight of Smithson is made.

Albert C. Gilbert, the Portland pole-vaulter, was left out in the cold, too. He broke the world's record by vaulting 12 feet, 7 3-4 inches. The next week his old rival, Walter R. Dray, of Yale, went up to a little town in Vermont and the report came back that he had vaulted 12 feet 9 1-2 inches. The A. A. U. has accepted the record and Gilbert is no longer the world's champion.

ALIMONY FOR MRS. GOULD.

New York, Nov. 20.—Supreme Court Justice Bischoff in a decision handed down to-day allows alimony at the rate of \$2,000 a year, payable monthly, to Katherine Clements Gould, pending the adjudication of her suit of separation from Howard Gould. This is the same allowance that Mr. Gould has been voluntarily allowing his wife pending the determination of her suit. She asked for \$10,000 a year. The decision also allows continued use of her name.

FIXTURES

TO-NIGHT

9 p.m.—At the Assembly rink, Fort street.—International basketball, Victoria vs. Bellingham, in Y. M. C. A. coast league.

TO-MORROW

Soccer—Victoria West vs. Esquimalt, at Canteen ground, Bays and Cedar Hill, at Oak Bay, Garrison and Regiment, at Work Point, High School vs. Beacon Hill (junior), North Ward vs. Esquimalt (second division).

All soccer games to-morrow will start at 2:45 p.m. by request of the players. The announcement was made this morning by the league secretary. The object is that play can finish in good light.

Rugby—J. B. A. A. vs. City team, at Oak Bay.

Bowling—Old Watson theatre, fourteen teams competing, afternoon and evening.

FIGHT FOR TOP PLACE
IN SOCCER SCHEDULE

Victoria West Will Defend Position Against Esquimalt.

To-morrow at 2:45 at the Canteen ground the Esquimalt and Victoria West soccer teams will prove the best drawing card of the local soccer season.

Both clubs are running for top place with a narrow margin in favor of Victoria West between them. Each team has had its men out through this week in the quarters of their clubs and have taken the utmost pains to enter them in the field in the finest condition.

Okell, captain of Victoria West, says his team will win, while Sherritt, Esquimalt, says they won't. That's just the difference of opinion that lies between the two teams and to see them fight out the unsettled question to-morrow afternoon at the canteen ground will be the big drawing card of the afternoon's sport.

The weather looks to be in favor of Esquimalt, but the canteen ground is perfectly drained and dries in a few hours, which will add to the chances of Victoria West. It will be a struggle in which the fittest men will be the foremost at the finish. Stamina, training and top speed are going to count, while the work of Costello and Beane, the Esquimalt and West's goal keepers, will be watched for comparison.

Beane is at present the goalkeeper of the Victoria representative team and a comparison with Costello, who last Saturday tended goal in fine style, will settle some questions around the Esquimalt and Victoria West districts as to which of the two men is the better for the position. There is no admission charged at the canteen ground, but a collection is always taken up during the afternoon. There should be a record crowd out to-morrow afternoon. The teams are:

Victoria West—Goal, Beane; backs, Prevost and White; halves, Pettigrew, Kinlock and Cowper; forwards, Tait, Bailey, Sedger, Okell and Kroeger. Reserves, Hall and Bruden.

Esquimalt—Goal, Costello; backs, W. Young and Dunn; halves, Malcolm, Telford and Bradder; forwards, Sherritt, Cowans, J. Young and Adams. Outside right not yet selected.

Referee, Alex. Rutherford.

The Bays play Cedar Hill at Oak Bay and there will be a good game there. The last match between the two resulted in a win for the Bays by a margin not wide enough to give them any safe thoughts of being able to do it again as they like at any time. The score was 2-1 and the play was about the same. The teams will line up at 2:45 p.m.

The Regiment are going to Work Point to-morrow afternoon to play against the Garrison and to endeavor to record their first win for the season. The Garrison by a win has a chance of getting level again with Cedar Hill for fourth place. The Garrison should beat the ambitious Island leaguers.

The line-up in the junior game between Beacon Hill and High School will be:

High School—Goal, Clark; fullbacks, Brown and Scott; halves, Colvin, McKeown and Grey; forwards, Tiney, Pike, Willmott, Day and McRae.

Beacon Hill—Goal, Lowder; fullbacks, McDonald and Wales; halves, Petch, McDougall and Lindsay; forwards, Bolton, Baker, Kacey, O'Rourke, James, Milne, Jenkins.

The game will be played at Beacon Hill at 2:30 p.m.

THE TRACK.

LONGBOAT WINS RELAY.

Tom Longboat made his first appearance as a professional at Kingston rink last week.

At 9 o'clock at night 1,200 people were assembled to see "Tom" do five miles. The track was laid out around the outside edge of the skating surface, thirteen laps to the mile. Three of Kingston's best runners went after the Indian, Longboat took the lead after the first five laps and never lost it. He covered the distance in about 26 minutes. T. T. Thompson, physical director of the Y. M. C. A.; P. McMaster, and Private Billedeau, R. C. H. A., were the Kingston men running, the first two men doing two miles each.

REPUBLICAN CAMPAIGN FUND.

New York, Nov. 20.—A campaign fund of \$1,500,000 contributed to the National Republican campaign committee in the recent campaign, will be shown when the list of contributors is filed at Albany on Monday next, according to the New York Evening Post. It is said that there are 15,000 names on the list.

BENEFIT MATCH FOR
INJURED PLAYERS

Ladysmith Soccerites Lost
Game to Nanaimo Through
Poor Goal Shooting.

(Special Correspondence.)

Ladysmith, Nov. 19.—Two picked teams, composed of the best players at present signed on for the Ladysmith club will play a game on Sunday afternoon for the benefit of two members who have suffered injuries on the playing field. Some of the clubs are said to insure their players against these risks, but the local organization has not as yet done so. Two of the players have this season sustained bad accidents, which have caused them to lose a good deal of work. Accordingly, this game will be played on Sunday, and the proceeds handed over to the boys to help them out of their difficulties. A good game is expected, and there is sure to be a large turnout.

The defeat of the home eleven on Sunday by their rivals from Nanaimo in a Pacific coast league game was a bitter disappointment to the club and all its supporters, which practically means the whole town. The disappointment is all the more bitter, for there is no denying that the home club had a great deal of the best of the play. Both the goals scored by Nanaimo came on the heels of a hot attack by the home players on the Nanaimo goal. The first came directly from a goal kick by Rodgers after his charge had had a very narrow escape. Cruickshanks got the ball from the goal keeper tipped it to Mitchell, who raced away alone and scored. The second goal scored by Hooper was got in almost the same way. The home boys could do everything but score, and it is this fact which has made the club's supporters so annoyed. The next meeting of the two teams in Nanaimo will most assuredly see large sums of money change hands. It is worthy of notice that this reverse is the first the home club has suffered on its own grounds in a league game for over two seasons.

The report of the secretary-treasurer as to the way in which the Victoria West boys have taken the decision of the island league executive has aroused a great deal of comment here. Of course the executive could not be expected to be answerable for any assurance given to the Victoria West boys by the officials of the Victoria and District Football Association. But Captain Okell and the rest of his players are wrong in supposing that the ruling of the executive, barring any player who has played in a senior league from competing in the second division of the island league, was aimed at them. For instance Ladysmith has entered two second division teams, and there are a few players who have figured in Pacific coast league games whom they counted upon having for their competition. The matter may be settled so as to suit the wishes of the Victoria West boys. Participation in Pacific coast league games need not necessarily be a bar to playing in the second division of the island league. All that is necessary is to prohibit any player who has appeared in two first division matches from again competing in the second division.

MILLIONAIRE LOSES FORTUNE.

Cleveland, Ohio, Nov. 20.—Mayor Tom Johnson, for years reputed to be a millionaire several times over, yesterday announced that his entire fortune had been lost. He said that he would be compelled to give up his home on Euclid avenue and also dispose of his automobiles. He added that a large part of his fortune had been spent in an effort to save the properties left by the late Albert Johnson, his brother.

BASKETBALL GAME
AT ASSEMBLY RINK

Bellingham Plays Local Y. M.
C. A. To-night at 9
o'clock.

To-night at the Assembly rink, Fort street, at 9 o'clock, the first local game in the Y. M. C. A. Northwest Coast Basketball League will be played by the local five against Bellingham. There will be a large crowd at the rink to witness the match as the local team is expected to beat the travellers by a wide and safe margin, so there will be no doubt left in the minds of any that the local boys are superior. The support that has been secured for to-night's game already is large, there having been sold this morning over 400 tickets.

The team to represent Victoria is a good one, but it is not the strongest that the city Y. M. C. A. can turn out. Some criticism has been advanced at giving Carne a place, but the captain of this team who stands down to allow the new one to try out in serious company, says the forward is well worth his place. Instructor Findlay also puts Carne in as a good man who must be tried out in first class company. The members of the team are: F. Carne and R. Whyte, forwards; J. Pettigrew, centre; D. Campbell and R. McKittrick, guards, with C. Mason the spare man.

The referee for the game is H. Booth, of Tacoma, while the umpire will be P. W. Wilson, of this city.

Bellingham is confident of putting up a win here to-night, and the local men are just as confident the visitors will return to the city of sawmills beaten.

The sale of tickets is being conducted at the rink, the Y. M. C. A. and principal stores.

Word was received in the city yesterday that Everett Y. M. C. A. has dropped out of the league, the reason being they were unable to secure a match ring in the home city.

The Everett gymnasium is too small to accommodate a crowd which would result in the club being some \$300 out on the season for travelling expenses.

The withdrawal of this team will necessitate the revision of the schedule.

BOWLERS PREPARING

FOR BIG CONTESTS

Competitions Close To-night at

New Alleys on Fort

Street.

The bowling test for places on the team to represent Victoria to-morrow in the inter-city bowling match to be played on the Elsie alleys, old Watson's theatre, Fort street, was continued last night with the result that ten men finished their try-out and stand as follows:

Name Total Ave.

Pirie 162 102 2-10

Pitch 160 100

Wood 163 102 3-10

Matthews 157 104 7-10

Glover 158 105 3-10

Tounley 159 102 3-10

Moran 159 102

Fairall 158 101 3-10

Aranson 151 101 3-10

Turner 147 101 3-10

There are eight more competitors who will finish their final games to-night, after which the teams wanted will be selected. There will be fourteen teams competing altogether.

F. J. HENRY GETTING BETTER.

San Francisco, Nov. 20.—Francis J. Henry continues to progress towards complete recovery from the bullet wound inflicted by Morris Haas on Friday afternoon last.

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Some singular genius has perpetrated the following calculations: I have been married thirty-two years, during which time I have received from the hands of my wife three cups of coffee each day, two in the morning and one at night, making about 35,000 cups of half a pint each, or nearly 5,000 barrels of thirty gallons each, weighing 17,420 pounds, or nearly nine tons weight. Yet from that period I have scarcely varied myself in weight from 100 pounds. It will therefore be seen that I have drunk in coffee alone 215 times my weight.

I am not much of a meat eater, yet I presume I have consumed about 3 ounces a day, which makes 5,800 pounds or about ten oxen. Of flour I have consumed, in the thirty-two years, about fifty barrels. For twenty years of this time I have drunk two vineglasses of brandy each day, making 900 quarts.

The port wine, Madeira, whisky, punch, etc., I am not able to count, but they are not large. In champagne I have been extremely moderate, as I find from my bills that I have paid for fifty-three baskets in the last thirteen years, which is about one bottle a week, and this not all consumed by myself.

When we take into the account all the vegetables and fruits in addition, such as potatoes, peas, asparagus, strawberries, cherries, apples, pears, peaches, raisins, etc., the amount consumed by an individual is most enormous. Now, my body has been renewed more than four times in thirty-two years, and, taking it for granted that the water of which I have drunk much, acts merely as a diluent, yet, all taken together, I conclude that I have consumed in thirty-two years of my life the weight of 1,100 men of 100 pounds each.

THE PALMIST.

The fair amateur palmist looked long and earnestly at the left hand of the sweet young girl.

Breathlessly the latter waited for the palmist's next words.

"Ah! I see by your hand that you are engaged to be married," said the palmist.

"How wonderful!" exclaimed the bride-to-be.

"And," continued the reader of the future and the past, in a more cutting tone, "I see that you are engaged to Mr. Blinks."

"Oh! it's perfectly extraordinary," burst out the blushing girl. "How could you know that?"

"By long study of the art," was the reply.

"But surely the lines of my hand cannot tell you the name of the man?"

"Who said anything about lines?" replied the prophetic one with withering scorn. "You are wearing the engagement ring I returned him three weeks ago!"—Denver Times.

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FLURRY OF WIND DELAYED SHIPPING

Steamer Charming Put Back
for Shelter and Arrived
7 Hours Late.

Yesterday, between 6 and 7 p.m., quite a gale swept up the straits, and for a short time caused considerable inconvenience to passenger vessels on inland waters. For some days there have been intermittent gales on the west coast of the island, but up to last night they had not been felt to any extent here.

C. P. R. steamer Charming, which was due to arrive here about 7 last evening, was on time until she got past Sidney, and almost down to Barclay Island. Then the wind struck her and things were rather lively for a little while. She was in no danger, but she had a load of cattle on board, and it was feared that these might be injured in the heavy sea, so she turned back for shelter, running as far as Otter Bay, on Pender Island. She arrived there about 8 o'clock, and remained until after 11, the passengers being entertained by some of the employees of the company to an impromptu concert. By that time the wind had gone down and the sea moderated, so she came on to her port of destination, arriving soon after 2 a.m.

The Charming left this morning at 6. Tug Owen that was expected to arrive here last night did not get in until about 9 this morning on account of the wind. She was being brought down in tow of the steamer Maude, that had raised her after her accident at Cowichan Gap. She took shelter in a bay opposite James Island.

AMALGAMATION OF STEAMSHIP INTERESTS

Ellerman and Bucknall Lines to
Combine—1,122 Steamers
Under One Man.

London, Nov. 20.—Negotiations between Sir John Ellerman, controlling owner of the Ellerman lines and other steamship tonnage, and the Bucknall steamship lines, have resulted in an arrangement by which the entire Bucknall fleet of twenty-eight vessels will pass under the management of Sir John.

The scheme must be submitted to the shareholders, but prompt approval is expected. The amalgamation will give Sir John Ellerman control of 1122 steamers with a total tonnage of 430,000 tons.

The steamer Fukui Maru is not one of the Nippon Yusen Kaisha line of steamers but a tramp owned by Ukon Gonayemon, of Tsushima, Japan. The repair work on her has been already commenced at the Esquimalt drydock.

Steamer City of Puebla is due to arrive here from San Francisco to-morrow evening with 70 tons of freight for Victoria.

Liverpool, Nov. 20.—S. S. Empress of Ireland arrived at Liverpool at 7 a.m. to-day.

MEXICAN TRADE IS ATTRACTIVE

NEW STEAMSHIP LINE
IS BEING FORMED

Rumor of an Amalgamation
Between Existing Com-
panies on Coast.

There is to be an opposition line between the ports of the North Pacific coast and Mexico, according to advice received this afternoon. A company has been formed in Seattle for the purpose of running a line of steamers to that country and already it is reported that a subsidy has been granted them by the Mexican government. These steamers will operate between Puget Sound and Mexico, calling also at Vancouver and Victoria. Officials of the company say that they feel sure there is plenty of business to be done if some strong company takes it in hand in a businesslike way. There will be offices of the company in this city for the purpose of looking after the local end. At the same time that the announcement is made in connection with the new line comes a rumor from Vancouver that the Union Steamship Company of that city is to buy out the present Canadian-Mexican line of steamers which, it is stated, has been run at a loss since its inception. It is thought that the Union Company could handle the business better than a separate company as their boats now engaged in the northern trade would act as feeders for the Mexican boats and also as distributors at this end. There is no official confirmation of the latter rumor.

LARGE MAILS.

Every Empress that leaves this coast carries to the Orient hundreds and often thousands of sacks of mail matter. Not only does this come from Canada and the United States but the mail matter from almost all the countries of Europe comes this way. It is no wonder then that thousands of sacks pass through this port regularly every few weeks.

The mail authorities who handle the United States mail that comes this way say that during the time that the United States fleet were in the Orient there was a great increase in the amount of mail passing each way. Doubtless a good deal of this was made up of picture post cards.

Already there is a slight increase presaging the approach of Christmas. The next boat will take about twice as much for that is the boat that will carry most of the Christmas matter.

Chilian steamer Belfast, which left Hastings mill, Vancouver, yesterday with a cargo of lumber for Caliao, is carrying slightly over a million and a half feet.

Harry Barnes' Yacht Veruna, which was anchored in the west arm last night, drifted ashore in the high wind. She was got off this morning.

American steamer Astor, Captain Frazier, passed out from Nanaimo this morning bound for Guaymas with a cargo of coal.

BAD OUTLOOK FOR U. S. SHIPBUILDING

Few New Orders Placed This
Year as Result of October
Panic.

New York, Nov. 20.—The output of the shipbuilding plants of the United States for the fiscal year ending June 30th last was the greatest in the history of the business, according to a statement made by Rear-Admiral Francis T. Bowles, at the annual meeting of the Society of Naval Architects and Marine Engineers in the city yesterday. Rear-Admiral Bowles, who has retired and is now president of the Fore River Shipbuilding Company, and also of the society, said that 1,657 vessels or 614,216 gross tons, were built in American yards within the year. This was an increase of 300 vessels over the previous year. The great lakes, which he says, were protected by both geography and law, were the chief contributors.

The present year opens gloomily for shipbuilding. Rear-Admiral Bowles said: "Shipowners, embarrassed by freight rates and reduced volume of business, following the panic of a year ago, have placed very few new orders with the shipyards." He also quoted figures to show that shipbuilding was decreasing in Great Britain. He declared that there was reason to hope that congress will pass an ocean mail bill, and said that President-elect Taft has long been an earnest champion of American shipbuilding. That he has felt the humiliation of Americans who look in vain for their country's flag on the ocean highways and in the great ports, and that he realizes the great importance of merchant shipping to maintain America's trade in peace and to sustain its battle-line in war.

STEAMER TEES.

Boat Had Large Quantity of Salmon to
Load at Clayquot.

Up to the time of going to press the steamer Tees had not arrived from the west coast, but no uneasiness is felt on her account. Doubtless something would have been heard of her had the government telegraph service been working, but the gale last night seems to have played havoc with the wires and they have not yet been repaired. According to the officials of the company the steamer, which was reported at 4:30 the day before yesterday at Estevan, then had to go into Clayquot and take on a load of salmon at the Clayquot cannery, which it was estimated would take her eight hours to load. The result is that with head winds and rough sea she could hardly be here yet. It is altogether likely that she remained in shelter during the worst of the blow yesterday.

POLAR BEARS' DINNER.

Whaler Comes Across 25 of Animals
Devouring Carcass of Whale on
Arctic Ice Floe.

San Francisco, Nov. 20.—Pleasant as well as profitable was the discovery made by Captain Wing and the crew of the steam whaler Karluk, when the vessel encountered an ice floe upon which were 25 polar bears dining off the carcass of a bowhead whale, partially frozen into the body of the ice. Every rifle on board was immediately in requisition, and five of the bears were killed before the others escaped by plunging into the water. The crew of the Karluk succeeded in securing 6,000 pounds of bone from the whale's head.

SUICIDES IN CABIN OF WHITE STAR LINER

No Reason for Rash Act of
John Krauss of San
Francisco.

Queenstown, Nov. 20.—John Krauss, who is said to have been connected with the Pacific States and Sunnet Telegraph Company, of San Francisco, committed suicide yesterday in his cabin on the Adriatic while the vessel was coming from Cherbourg to this port.

Mr. Krauss joined the Adriatic at Cherbourg. Nothing unusual was noticed about his movements, but as he did not leave his cabin at 1 o'clock yesterday afternoon the purser of the Adriatic forced an entrance. He found Mr. Krauss stretched on the floor dead. His throat had been cut, and two blood stained safety razors lay by his side. The surgeons of the Adriatic certified that the dead man had bled to death from self-inflicted wounds, but an inquest is to be held. The body was sent on shore here, and taken to the morgue.

Mr. Krauss was traveling home. He arrived on this side on the last trip over the Lusitania.

Well Known in 'Frisco.

San Francisco, Nov. 20.—John Krauss, who committed suicide on the steamer Adriatic yesterday, was formerly employed as a special agent of the Pacific States and Sunnet Telegraph and Telephone Company, since merged into the Pacific Telephone and Telegraph Company. He was a witness before the grand jury which found indictments against St. Louis Glass and Theodore V. Halsey, of the same corporation, for alleged attempts to bribe supervisors to vote against granting a franchise to the Telephone Company, a rival organization. He also appeared as a witness in the trial of Glass on the charge which resulted in conviction. Glass is now out on bail, pending the result of an appeal taken in his case. Halsey is yet to be tried.

Krauss left the employ of the company early this year, and was thought to have gone to Nevada.

EATEN BY ANIMALS IN ARCTIC ICE FIELDS

Terrible Fate Overtakes De-
serter From Whaler—Mang-
led Torso Found.

San Francisco, Cal., Nov. 20.—Losing his way amidst the vastness of the Arctic ice fields, after deserting the whaler Karluk, Fred Morand, a Frenchman, slowly starved to death on a floating hummock of ice, and after his death a portion of his body was eaten by wild animals.

Morand deserted the Karluk while the whaler was wintering at Herschel Island and November 24, 1907. With a sack of provisions, which he had stolen, he started away from the vessel at night through the bleak darkness, and what hardships and privations he suffered until his mangled torso was found five months later by the mounted police will never be known.

The deserter had headed for Dawson, but, knowing nothing of the region, had apparently quickly lost his way and was carried off on a torn berg of ice. The body was found by a trio of wandering natives, who brought the news back to Herschel Island. The mounted police went out and located the remains, nothing of which was left but the torso.

The news of the tragedy was brought by the Karluk, which has just arrived in port after twenty months spent in the far north. There was another desertion from the Karluk, but the man was glad to return to the vessel after wandering about several nights upon the ice.

SHIPPING REPORT

Cape Lazo, Nov. 20, 8 a.m.—Clear; wind southeast; barometer, 29.47; temperature, 46; sea moderate.

Point Grey, Nov. 20, 8 a.m.—Clear; light southeast wind; barometer, 29.55; temperature, 48.

Tatoosh, Nov. 20, 8 a.m.—Clear; wind south, 18 miles; barometer, 29.59; temperature, 50. Passed in, steamer, at 5:15 a.m.

Estevan, Nov. 20, 8 a.m.—Clear; wind southeast; barometer, 29.55; temperature, 50; sea very rough.

Pachena, Nov. 20, 8 a.m.—Clear; light southeast breeze; barometer, 29.45; temperature, 49; sea rough.

Cape Lazo, Nov. 20, noon—Part clear; wind S. E.; bar. 29.55; temp. 50; sea moderate.

Point Grey, Nov. 20, noon—Clear; wind S. E.; bar. 29.67; temp. 53. Passed in, steamer Joan at 9:30, and Charming at 10:55.

Tatoosh, Nov. 20, noon—Part clear; westerly wind, 20 miles; bar. 29.66; temp. 55. Passed out, steamer schooner Sibyl Marston at 8:40 a.m. Passed in, two-masted steamer at 8:40 a.m. Passed out, steamer Columbia at 9:30. Passed in, steam schooner Pallac at 11:45.

Estevan, Nov. 20, noon—Part clear; strong S. E. wind; bar. 29.62; temp. 52; sea rough.

Pachena, Nov. 20, noon—Clear; S. E. breeze; bar. 29.53; temp. 55; sea rough.

MINERS' NARROW ESCAPE.

Edwardsville, Ill., Nov. 20.—Two loaded cars in the Kerns Donnewald coal mine collapsed yesterday afternoon, carrying with them to the bottom of the mine the hoisting apparatus and top works. Two hundred men were in the mine, but all escaped injury. The accident is believed to have been caused by the overloading of the cars. Only minimal damage was done.

PASSING OF THE SAILER.

Number of Modern Windjammers Offered For Sale.

An evidence of the stagnation in shipping, and especially of the difficulty of finding remunerative employment for sailors, is to be found in the number of really excellent modern windjammers which have been offered for sale recently, says the Magazine of Commerce, London. The two Dundee-owned steel-hulled Glenesh and Glenamilton recently failed to find purchasers, and are to be offered again shortly, together with the Liverpool steel ship Liqueur and the Greenock ship Kensington, while others in the market are the Aberystwyth steel barque Caradoc, the French steel four-masted barque Asie of Rochelle, and the German barque Ocean. A veteran of Messrs. Hine's Holme line, the Castle Holme, has been sold to Norwegian owners, who seem to be about the only persons buying sailors now. Another old stager, the Silve Roe, of Swansea, is also offered. A less satisfactory feature is that two of the finest sailing ships afloat, the Carnedd Llewellyn and Tosteth, have been listed as "missing" victims. It is feared, to the sorrow of Cape Horn, and fears are entertained for the safety of two or three other large ships.

While referring to sailors, the experience of the Hougoumont may be worth noting. She left Coquimbó for Tocopilla, both on the west coast of South America, on July 17th, and was sighted off the latter port. Nothing more was heard of her until she turned up at Sydney on September 27th all well. No less than 75 gallons "l.t.o." was being spilt on her then.

TIDE TABLE.

Victoria, B. C., November, 1908.

Date.	Time of High Water.	Time of Low Water.	Time of High Water.	Time of Low Water.
1	12:18	11:53	12:18	11:53
2	12:02	12:00	12:02	12:00
3	11:46	12:12	11:46	12:12
4	11:30	12:24	11:30	12:24
5	11:14	12:36	11:14	12:36
6	10:58	12:48	10:58	12:48
7	10:42	13:00	10:42	13:00
8	10:26	13:12	10:26	13:12
9	10:10	13:24	10:10	13:24
10	9:54	13:36	9:54	13:36
11	9:38	13:48	9:38	13:48
12	9:22	14:00	9:22	14:00
13	9:06	14:12	9:06	14:12
14	8:50	14:24	8:50	14:24
15	8:34	14:36	8:34	14:36
16	8:18	14:48	8:18	14:48
17	8:02	15:00	8:02	15:00
18	7:46	15:12	7:46	15:12
19	7:30	15:24	7:30	15:24
20	7:14	15:36	7:14	15:36
21	6:58	15:48	6:58	15:48
22	6:42	16:00	6:42	16:00
23	6:26	16:12	6:26	16:12
24	6:10	16:24	6:10	16:24
25	5:54	16:36	5:54	16:36
26	5:38	16:48	5:38	16:48
27	5:22	17:00	5:22	17:00
28	5:06	17:12	5:06	17:12
29	4:50	17:24	4:50	17:24
30	4:34	17:36	4:34	17:36

The time used in Pacific Standard, for the 12th Meridian west. It is counted from 0 to 24 hours, from midnight to midnight. The figures for height serve to distinguish high water from low water. The height is in feet and tenths of a foot above the average level of the low water in each month of the year. This level is half a foot lower than the datum to which the soundings on the Admiralty chart of Victoria harbor are required.

SHIPPING GUIDE.

OCEAN STEAMSHIPS

Vessel.	From the Orient.	Due.
Tango Maru	From the Orient.	Nov. 26
Empress of Japan	From the Orient.	Nov. 28
From Australia.		
Indravelli	From Australia.	Dec. 3
Marama	From Australia.	Dec. 17
From Mexico.		
Londale	From Mexico.	Dec. 16
From Liverpool.		
Tenzer	From Liverpool.	Nov. 14
Titan	From Liverpool.	Dec. 23
TO SAIL.		
Shinano Maru	For the Orient.	Nov. 24
Empress of Japan	For the Orient.	Dec. 9
For Australia.		
Moana	For Australia.	Dec. 4
Georgia	For Mexico.	Nov. 31
For Liverpool.		
Antiochus	For Liverpool.	Dec. 3

SAILING VESSELS

TO ARRIVE

Name.	Left.	Date.	Port.
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Haddon Hall, Liverpool, April 4, Vict. (Left Monte Video Aug. 2.)

Puritan, Boston, Sept. 14, Vanc.

COASTWISE STEAMERS

TO ARRIVE

Vessel.	From San Francisco.	Due.
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City of Puebla, Nov. 21

From Skagway.

Princess May, Nov. 28

From Northern B. C. Ports.

Camosun, Nov. 25

Venture, Nov. 25

Amur, Nov. 29

From West Coast.

Tees, Nov. 20

TO SAIL.

For San Francisco.

City of Puebla, Nov. 22

For Skagway.

Princess May, Nov. 30

For Northern B. C. Ports.

Camosun, Nov. 25

Venture, Nov. 25

Queen City, Nov. 29

Princess Beatrice, Dec. 7

For West Coast.

Tees, Nov. 21

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S. S. Charming will run as usual between Victoria and Vancouver, leaving Victoria at 11:20 p.m.; returning, leaves Vancouver at 1 p.m.

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SIX-DAY CYCLE RACE.

Boston, Mass., Nov. 20.—The ten leading teams in the six-day bicycle race at the Park Square Coliseum had travelled 82 miles and 3 laps at the conclusion of the day's racing last night. The eleventh team in the race, the Devenovitch-Halligan combination, is now one lap behind the leaders.



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Excelsior	1.75
Hams (B. C.), per lb.	25
Ham (A. C.), per lb.	25
Bacon (American), per lb.	25
Bacon (rolled), per lb.	25
Shoulders, per lb.	25
Bacon (long clear), per lb.	25
Pork, per lb.	12.10
Mutton, per lb.	12.20
Lamb, hindquarter	12.50
Lamb, forequarter	12.50
Veal, per lb.	12.50
Suet, per lb.	12.50
Farm Produce	
Fresh Island Eggs	50
Eastern Eggs	40
Best Dairy Butter	40
Butter (Creamery)	40
Lard, per lb.	2.20
Western Canada Flour Mills	
Purity, per sack	2.20
Purity, per bbl.	1.85
Three Star Patent, per sack	1.85
Three Star Patent, per bbl.	1.15
Hungarian Flour	
Ogilvie's Royal Household,	2.00
per sack	
Ogilvie's Royal Household,	1.75
per bbl.	
Lake of Woods, per sack	1.75
Lake of Woods, per bbl.	1.50
Okanagan, per sack	1.75
Okanagan, per bbl.	1.50
Calgary Hungarian, per sack	1.75
Calgary Hungarian, per bbl.	1.50
Moore Jaw, per sack	1.75
Excelsior, per sack	1.75
Excelsior, per bbl.	1.50
Oak Lake, per sack	1.75
Oak Lake, per bbl.	1.50
Hudson's Bay, per sack	1.75
Hudson's Bay, per bbl.	1.50
Enderby, per sack	1.75
Enderby, per bbl.	1.50
Pastry	
Snowflake, per sack	1.75
Snowflake, per bbl.	1.50
O. K. Best Pastry, per sack	1.75
O. K. Best Pastry, per bbl.	1.50
O. K. Four Star, per sack	1.75
O. K. Four Star, per bbl.	1.50
Drifted Snow, per sack	1.75
Drifted Snow, per bbl.	1.50
Grain	
Wheat, per ton	60.00-65.00
Wheat, per lb.	2.00-2.50
Oats, per ton	20.00
Barley	40.00
Whole Corn	40.00
Cracked Corn	40.00
Boiled Oats (B. & K.), 7-lb. sk.	1.25
Boiled Oats (B. & K.), 5-lb. sk.	1.25
Boiled Oats (B. & K.), 3-lb. sk.	1.25
Oatmeal, 5-lb. sack	1.25
Oatmeal, 10-lb. sack	1.25
Cracked Wheat, 10-lb. sack	1.25
Whole Wheat Flour, 10-lb. sack	1.25
Graham Flour, 10-lb. sack	1.25
Graham Flour, 5-lb. sack	1.25
Feed	
Hay (baled), new, per ton	16.00-18.00
Straw, per bale	75
Middlings, per ton	25.00
Brass, per ton	25.00
Ground Feed, per ton	25.00
Shorts	25.00
Poultry	
Dressed Fowl, per lb.	15.00
Ducks, per lb.	20.00
Geese (Island), per lb.	20.00
Turkey, per lb.	30.00
Garden Produce	
Cabbage, per lb.	1.00
Potatoes (local)	1.00
Potatoes (Ashcroft)	1.40
Onions, per bunch	3
Onions (Cal.), per lb.	3
Spinach, per lb.	3
Carrots, per lb.	3
Cucumbers	3
Pumpkins, per lb.	3
Lemons	4.50-5.00
Walnuts (Cal.)	15.00
Walnuts (Eastern)	15.00
Apples, per box (local)	1.00-1.50

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High, Low, Mid.

Allis Chalmers	132	132	132
Amal. Copper	53	53	53
Amer. Car & Foundry	95	95	95
Do. pref.	95	95	95
Amer. Cotton Oil	26	26	26
Amer. Ice	26	26	26
Amer. Loco.	54	54	54
Amer. Sugar	135	135	135
Amer. Steel	132	132	132
Do. pref.	132	132	132
Anaconda	20	20	20
Amer. Woolen	20	20	20
Do. pref.	20	20	20
Atholton	20	20	20
B. & O.	101	101	101
B. R. T.	101	101	101
C. P. R.	178	178	178
Central Leather	27	27	27
C. & G. W. pref. B.	13	13	13
C. & G. W.	12	12	12
C. M. & St. P.	141	141	141
C. & N. W.	173	173	173
C. & O.	48	48	48
Colo. Fuel & Iron	48	48	48
Colo. Southern	48	48	48
Do. 2nd pref.	48	48	48
Do. 1st pref.	48	48	48
Corn Products	12	12	12
Chicago & Alton	174	174	174
D. & R. G.	33	33	33
Do. pref.	33	33	33
Erie	33	33	33
Do. 2nd pref.	33	33	33
Do. 1st pref.	33	33	33
Illinois Central	140	140	140
Inter-Met.	141	141	141
Do. pref.	141	141	141
Le. & N.	119	119	119
M. & E. Ry.	171	171	171
M. K. & T.	34	34	34
Do. pref.	34	34	34
Missouri Pac.	62	62	62
Nor. Amer.	71	71	71
N. Y. & N. H. & H. R.	121	121	121
Pacific Mail S. S. Co.	31	31	31
Pennsylvania Ry.	124	124	124
People's Gas	104	104	104
Pressed Steel Car	104	104	104
Reading	104	104	104
Do. 2nd pref.	104	104	104
Do. 1st pref.	104	104	104
Repub. Iron & Steel	27	27	27
Do. pref.	27	27	27
Rock Island	23	23	23
Do. pref.	23	23	23
Gen. Elec.	103	103	103
St. L. & S. P. 2nd pref.	34	34	34
Do. 1st pref.	34	34	34
Do. pref.	113	113	113
U. S. Steel Co.	56	56	56
Do. pref.	113	113	113
Wabash	104	104	104
Do. pref.	104	104	104
Western Union Telegraph	65	65	65
Wisconsin Central	21	21	21
Do. pref.	21	21	21
Distillers Sec.	35	35	35
Utah Copper	4	4	4
Do. pref.	104	104	104
Virginia Chemical	43	43	43
Int. Paper	13	13	13
Int. Pump	31	31	31
Third Ave.	32	32	32
Low Central	29	29	29
Westinghouse	92	92	92
Total sales, 1,318,900.			
Money, 14 per cent.			

Coeur D'Alene Stocks

(By Courtesy N. B. Maysmith & Co.)
Bid, Asked.

Alameda	24	24
Charles Dickens	24	24
Gertie	24	24
Humming Bird	24	24
Idora, pref.	24	24
Missoula Copper	24	24
Nabob	24	24
O. K. Consolidated	24	24
Oom Paul	24	24
Rex (16 to 1)	24	24
Snowflake	24	24
Stewart	24	24
Tamarack & Cheapeake	24	24
Wonder	24	24

LOCAL STOCKS

(By Courtesy N. B. Maysmith & Co.)
Bid, Asked.

Alberta Coal & Coke Co.	10	10
American-Canadian Oil	24	24
Burton Saw Works	100.00	100.00
B. C. Copper Co.	7.50	8.25
Bakeries, Limited	6.25	6.25
B. C. Permanent Loan	120.00	125.00
B. C. Pulp & Paper	80.00	80.00
B. C. Trust Corp.	25.00	25.00
Canadian Cons. S. & R.	75.00	75.00
Canadian N. W. Oil	70	70
Cariboo Camp Mck.	0.15	0.15
Diamond Vale C. & C.	11	11
Dominion Copper Co.	120.00	120.00
Dominion Trust Co.	120.00	120.00
Great West Perm.	110.00	110.00
Granby	100.00	105.00
International C. & C.	50	50
Imperial Trust Co.	100.00	100.00
Nicola Valley C. & C.	25.00	25.00
Northern Bank	35.00	35.00
Pacific Whaling	60.00	60.00
Portland Canal M. & D.	25	25
Rambler Cariboo	34	34
Royal Collieries	34	34
Sullivan	34	34
Silica Brick	7.25	7.25
Van. Ice & C. S.	120.00	120.00
Western Oil	30	30

NEW YORK COTTON

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
New York, Nov. 20.
High, Low, Close.

Jan.	9.05	9.05	9.10-15
Feb.	9.05	9.05	9.05-10
March	9.05	9.05	9.05
April	9.02	9.02	9.00-02
May	8.90	8.90	8.85-90
June	8.85	8.85	8.80-85
July	8.80	8.80	8.75-80
Aug.	8.82	8.82	8.82-84
Oct.	8.82	8.82	8.81-83
Nov.	9.35	9.35	9.24-28
Dec.	9.25	9.17	9.24-25
Steady.			

GRAIN MARKET.

(By Courtesy F. W. Stevenson & Co.)
Chicago, Nov. 20.
Open, High, Low, Close.

Wheat				
Dec.	104	104	103	104
May	108	108	107	108
July	102	102	101	102
Corn				
Dec.	62	64	61	63
May	62	62	62	62
July	62	62	62	62
Oats				
Dec.	49	49	49	49
May	51	51	51	51
July	49	49	49	49
Pork				
Jan.	16.20	16.25	16.17	16.25
May	16.45	16.50	16.27	16.50
Lard				
Jan.	9.30	9.45	9.27	9.42
May	9.37	9.50	9.37	9.57
Short Ribs				
Jan.	8.85	8.80	8.50	8.57
May	8.70	8.75	8.42	8.75

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At the Victoria Theatre NOV. 20 and 21

Friday and Saturday Nights And Saturday Matinee

In Aid of the Building Fund of the Victoria Seamen's Institute

THE BEAUTIFUL FAIRY EXTRAVAGANZA



"THE PIXIES"

By W. A. MILNE, author of "Aladdin," etc.
GIVEN BY HOME TALENT, UNDER PERSONAL DIRECTION OF THE AUTHOR.

200—YOUNG LADIES AND CHILDREN IN CAST—200
All in grotesque and beautiful costumes, representing Pixies, Brownies, Goblins, Insects, Pickaninnies, Monkeys, Fairies, Butterflies, Flower Girls, Pages, Amazon Guard, Japanese Maidens, etc.

TWO HOURS OF FUN AND FROLIC IN FAIRYLAND.
Evening prices, 25 cents to \$1.00. Matinee prices—Children, 10 cents; adults, 50 cents. (No seats reserved for matinee.)
Sale opens at the box office Wednesday morning, November 19.
"It is the most beautiful and laughable entertainment ever devised for amateurs."—Minneapolis Journal.

EMPRESS THEATRE CORNER OF GOVERNMENT AND JOHNSON STREETS.
UP-TO-DATE MOVING PICTURES.
We have installed Edison's absolutely FLICKERLESS CINEMATOGRAPH. This is the first one used for exhibition in Victoria. All the disagreeable effects of the old style moving picture machines are entirely removed.
SPECIAL PROGRAMME FOR THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY.
"The English Derby, 1908," "A Balloon Contest," "The Organ Grinder's Daughter," "An Enchanted Mantle," "The Sportsman and a Hat," and "The story of King Fregolo."
ILLUSTRATED SONG, "SWEET CAROLINE"
Hervin A. Bell, vocalist; Walter Gaskill, pianist.
Complete change of programme every Monday and Thursday.
ADMISSION, ten cents. Shows every day 2 to 5:30 and 7 to 10:30 p. m.

AMUSEMENTS.
Victoria Theatre
MONDAY, NOV. 23rd
TENTH SEASON.
"There ain't no sense in doin' nothin' for nobody who never done nothin' for you."—Sis Hopkins.
J. R. Stirling Presents the "Artistic Comedienne,"
ROSE MELVILLE
IN THE CHARACTERISTIC PLAY
"SIS HOPKINS"
A Play of Purpose, A Plot of Sense, A Happy Blending of Fun and Earnest.
Prices, 25c, 50c, 75c, \$1.00.
Box office opens 19 a. m., Friday, Nov. 20th.

Victoria Theatre
COMMENCING TUESDAY, NOV. 24
And the Remainder of the Week.
The Management of the VICTORIA THEATRE announces
THE LONDON BIOSCOPE
WITH THE LATEST ANIMATED PICTURES
ORCHESTRA
AND ILLUSTRATED SONGS.
Change of Programme Twice Weekly.
These Pictures will be shown every night the Theatre has not its usual attractions.
Price of Admission, 10c.
Continuous Performance from 7 to 10:30 p. m.

THE NEW GRAND
WEEK 16th NOVEMBER.
HARRY LUKEN'S
WONDERFUL PERFORMING BEARS
Under the Direction of Mlle. Beatrice.
Late Animal Queen, Ringling Bros.
Circus.
DOLPH AND SUSIE LEVINO
In Their Original Comedy Sketch,
"Hypnotizing a Wife."
ADDER TRIO
World's Greatest Club Jugglers.
Introducing the Only Boy in the World Juggling Five Clubs at the Same Time.
BROWN AND HODGES
Indian Singing Cartoons.
MALIA AND BART
Presenting Their Acrobatic Abundant, "The Baggage Smasher."
THOS. J. PRICE
SONG ILLUSTRATOR.
"Sweetheart Days."
NEW MOVING PICTURES
"Tale of a Harem."
"Bathing."
OUR OWN ORCHESTRA
M. NAGEL, Director.
Selections from Grand Operas.

THE NEW GRAND.
Performing Bears Prove a Great Attraction at Theatre.
Manager Jamieson has such a strong programme this week, headed by the seven performing bears that the many counter attractions have not prevented the house from being packed at every performance. Two matinees tomorrow will give children an opportunity to enjoy a rare treat, the price of admission for little ones being only ten cents. The first performance will start promptly at 2:30, the doors being open at 2 o'clock, and the second will begin at 3:45 and be over about 5 o'clock. While the bears will be, of course, the main attraction for the children, they will enjoy every number on the bill, for they are all better than average, the programme as a whole being one of the very best seen in the city.
Windmills were invented and used by the Barons.

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RINGS!
There is no more popular article of Jewellery made than the finger-ring, and for this reason we make them a specialty.
We believe there cannot be found on the continent of America in a city the size of Victoria another stock as full and complete as ours. We are able to offer the most desirable price because we buy direct from the makers, cutting out all intermediate profits. We buy for "spot cash," saving each the count, and we mount the stones into rings in our own factory on the premises, saving all manufacturers' profits.
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GOVERNMENT ST.
VICTORIA, B. C.

SOCIAL EVENTS
Miss Gyoft, of Saanich, paid a flying visit to town yesterday.
G. Prevedal, Victoria West, left yesterday on a trip to New York.
Mrs. W. F. Bullen has returned from a trip to Green River, Hot Springs.
Mrs. Thompson, of Saanich, is spending a few days with friends in town.
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur G. White, who have been visiting friends here, left this morning for their home in New Westminster.
Mrs. Bowker, sr., will leave for California shortly to spend the winter months. Her grandchildren will accompany her.
Mrs. A. C. Grayson and child, who have been residents for a year in Victoria, leave to-day for an extended visit to relatives in Kennewick, Wash.
Among the Chalmers' passengers for Vancouver this morning were: Mrs. Harrison, Miss Cochran, S. North, A. T. Clute, C. H. Jarvis, D. S. Wilnot, G. W. Weeks, J. Spratt, M. Sayage and D. Sullivan.
Mrs. Douglas, who spent several months abroad, returning by way of San Francisco, where she was met by her son, Mr. John Douglas, and his wife, is now re-established in Victoria in her old home, Angela cottage, Fairfield road.

GOOD ENTERTAINMENT.
W. Eugene Knox Proves Excellent Interpreter of Humorous Selections.
The entertainment given last evening in the A. O. U. W. hall under the auspices of the Y. W. C. A. was very much enjoyed, although owing to the unfavorable weather the attendance was not what might have been expected. Those who attended, however, were in no way disappointed.
W. Eugene Knox, the elocutianist, who was the leading attraction, acquitted himself well. His interpretation of humorous selections was such as to keep the audience in roars of laughter throughout the evening. If Mr. Knox returns to Victoria he will undoubtedly meet a crowded house.
Assisting Mr. Knox was Mrs. D. C. Reid, whose singing is always popular in the city. She was repeatedly encored. Miss Muriel Hall also contributed to the programme in her usual style, pleasing her audience.
Mrs. W. Baer and Mrs. A. J. Brace, as accompanists, were all that could be desired.

"SIS HOPKINS."
Miss Rose Melville Will Appear Here on Monday Night.
"Sis Hopkins," that delightfully fragrant play of country life in the Hoosier state, which is now on its tenth tour, has been booked for an engagement at the Victoria theatre on Monday evening. Miss Rose Melville, the originator of the peculiarly fascinating type of stage character represented by "Sis Hopkins," is playing the title role again, and is supported by a company, the equal of any she has had yet.
"Obadiah, the undertaker, is one of the quaint character bits of the play," J. R. Stirling, Miss Melville's manager, has put out an entirely new production, and the play has been amplified and improved until now it has reached the acme of perfection. The costumes are all new and the specialties which have been so delightful a feature of previous engagements have been changed and added to until now there is left nothing to be desired. This is especially true of the famous seminary scene.
PERSONAL.
Parks Superintendent England went over to Vancouver last night on business.
H. P. Bullen has returned from a vacation at Green River Hot Springs.

TO-NIGHT
INTERNATIONAL BASKET BALL
VICTORIA Y. M. C. A.
VS.
BELLINGHAM Y. M. C. A.
Skating before and after game.
Skating until 11 o'clock.
Admission 25c. Skates 25c.

The Elite Amusement Parlor Company
HAVE OPENED UP
Bowling Alleys
AT THE OLD WATSON THEATRE
736 Fort Street
Pictures, Weighing and Lifting Machines and Laughing Gallery will be introduced. The bowling alley will be on upon modern and refined lines. Ladies patronage will be appreciated by the management.
THE NEW GRAND.
Performing Bears Prove a Great Attraction at Theatre.

Cowan's
"Perfection"
Cocoa
is made from the finest carefully selected cocoa beans, roasted by a special process to perfect the rich chocolate flavor. Cowan's is most delicious and most economical.
THE COWAN CO. LIMITED, TORONTO.

"ON PAROLE" PRESENTED BY CAPABLE COMPANY
Willard Mack and Miss Leone Score Success on Their First Visit.

Willard Mack and Miss Leone made their first appearance before a Victoria audience last night when they presented "On Parole" at the Victoria theatre. The performance pleased greatly, and the principals may rest certain that they will be cordially welcomed here again.
"On Parole" is a drama of the time of the civil war, but there is no more of the war in it than is necessary to its logical working out. The story is told simply, without any involved plot and without any subsidiary interest to divert the mind from it. It is rather a play of the intellect than of action, its dialogue challenging close attention throughout.
The story may be briefly summarized. Constance Pinckney is one of those brave hearted women who help the Southern cause by bearing dispatches. She is pursued by Major Francis Dale, a Virginian fighting in the Northern army. He encounters her in a mountaineer's hut where she has taken shelter, but her assumption of the character of a daughter of the house completely deceives him. Later he meets her at Pinckney Place, the home of a sturdy Southerner, the best sort, General Pinckney. Constance has passed her dispatches on to her brother and arranged that he shall return in three days with a force to capture the Yankees. In the interval she and Dale mutually lose their hearts to each other, with an arrow on his side, and she endeavors to avert the result. Her efforts fail. Her efforts fail, the boys in grey arrive and capture Dale, and he goes with the bitter feeling ranking in his breast that he has fallen into a trap laid for him by a girl who has proved herself an apt strategist. The last act takes place after the surrender at Appomattox court house, when Dale brings Captain Pinckney home, and the joys of reunion in large measure alleviate the crush of grief over the defeat of the South.

On the shoulders of the two principals the success of the play mainly rests, and they proved themselves fully capable. Willard Mack is a careful and a painstaking actor. His impersonation of the Northern officer was consistent all through, and his acting marked by dignity and, in the emotional scenes, by feeling which was none the less deep for being kept well in hand. Miss Leone is an actress of charming personality, fine stage presence and possessing a beautiful voice. Her conception of the part of Constance could not be bettered, and her portrayal of the character was in keeping. In the third act, with its heavy demands upon all the resources of her art, she proved her aptitude fully. If anything the part is rather the more enacting of the two leading characters. The support was good, especially J. R. Quigley, as the general, Charles Terris, Marshal Farnum; Maude Cleveland and Agnes Bilal.
It is likely that this company will return here this season in "The Men of the North," a dramatization of Stewart Edward White's "Conjuror's House," which is said to appeal strongly to northwestern houses.

DECORATING TABLE FOR CARD PARTY.
Place a high glass vase with two or three long stemmed white roses in the center of your table. Around the base of the vase arrange the picture cards—banners, kings and queens—from a pack in a circle like a dolly.
The roses can be served in boxes simulating a pack of cards, and paper napkins, on which cards are printed, will add to a decorative scheme.
Make sandwiches and cakes in shape of hearts, diamonds, clubs and spades, and have heart and diamond shaped dishes for bonbons and salted nuts.
As artificial light always adds a charm, exclude daylight, as your euchre is an afternoon affair, and light the room with candles. Get together as many candelabra and candlesticks as you can find place for, putting them where except on the table. They will give the room a soft, pretty light, not attainable with gas or electricity.
At each cover place a playing card, face up, alternating the black and red suits. Duplicate these cards from an ether pack, and as the guests enter the dining-room deal out one that corresponds to each place card, giving the women red and the men black, if men are present. In this way the guests will find their places at table or partners with whom they are to converse if refreshments are passed around. The table may be further decorated at each corner with a house of balanced cards, such as children delight in building, and any person unfortunate enough to knock one down must build it again for the amusement of all present.

WEATHER BULLETIN.
Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.
Victoria, Nov. 20—A. m.—Since yesterday an important ocean storm area has spread inland across this province to Alberta. It has caused a southerly gale with considerable rain west of the Cascades and mild weather throughout the Pacific slope and across the continent to Manitoba. There are indications that the weather will remain stormy on the coasts of Oregon, Washington and Vancouver Island.
Forecasts.
For 24 hours ending 5 p. m. Saturday. Victoria and vicinity—Fresh to strong southerly winds, unsettled and mild, with rain.
Lower Mainland—Easterly to southerly winds, unsettled and mild, with rain.
Reports.
Victoria—Barometer, 29.60; temperature, 48; minimum, 47; wind, 8 miles E.; rain, 19; weather, cloudy.
New Westminster—Barometer, 29.64; temperature, 48; minimum, 46; wind, calm; rain, 40; weather, raining.
Kamloops—Barometer, 29.55; temperature, 46; minimum, 46; wind, 6 miles E.; rain, 62; weather, clear.
San Francisco—Barometer, 30.10; temperature, 56; minimum, 54; wind, 8 miles S. W.; weather, cloudy.
Edmonton—Barometer, 30.34; temperature, 34; minimum, 22; wind, 8 miles S.; weather, part cloudy.

MRS. THOMAS HOOPER
HOLDS "AT HOME"
Receives Many Callers at Beautiful Residence, "Hatherleigh."

In spite of the disagreeable weather a great many friends found their way to Mrs. Thomas Hooper's beautiful bungalow, "Hatherleigh," yesterday afternoon. In delightful contrast to the damp, chill of the streets, were the warmth and beauty of her charming flower-decked rooms.
In the luxurious reception hall as one entered, the cheerful glow of the grate, banked as it was on either side by beautiful palms, combined with festoons of smilax across the alcove, and the jars of pink carnations and ferns on the mantle, made one feel as if one had been suddenly transported into fairyland.
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Some very pretty gowns were worn by the ladies assisting. Mrs. D. C. Reid looked very smart in a gown of all-over-lace with insertion and applique of silk roses. Mrs. Cusack was most becomingly attired in a gown of fawn, pol-de-noir handkerchief trimmed with Persian trimmings and lace. Mrs. Whitford looked well in a costume of brown silk. Mrs. Chris. Spencer wore a handsome director's gown of plum colored silk with Persian ornaments. Miss Wilkerson looked very sweet and pretty in a dainty pink organdie with white wash. Miss Goodacre was becomingly gowned in pale blue silk. Miss Sara Spencer looked well in a dainty gown of celine with touches of pale green and lace.
Among those present were the following: Mrs. William McCarter, Mrs. Willis M. Dean, Mrs. (Dr.) A. A. Humber, Mrs. D. A. Reid, Miss Spencer, Mrs. F. J. Hall (Sr.), Mrs. G. H. Hall, Mrs. T. H. Brown, Mrs. Phillip Ross Nisbet, Mrs. E. Sheritt, Miss Sheritt, Miss Sophie F. Hiscocks, Mrs. E. H. Hiscocks, Miss Goodacre, Miss Sara Spencer, Mrs. Thomas R. Cusack, Mrs. Edith Wilkerson, Mrs. F. W. Grant, Mrs. (Dr.) John Albert Graham, Mrs. David Spencer, Miss Hiscocks, Mrs. Ernest C. Pendray, Mrs. Chris. Spencer, Mrs. S. J. Willis, Mrs. Sandford, Mrs. (Dr.) Ernest Hall, Mrs. M. H. Watkins, Mrs. (Capt.) Gould, Mrs. Teague, Mrs. William H. Bone, Miss Lena Bone, Mrs. C. Wood Watkins, Mrs. Rev. C. M. Tate (Duncan), Mrs. McDonald, Mrs. William Dunbar, Mrs. (Dr.) A. Edgar T. Mickins, Mrs. J. H. Emery and Mrs. Whittier.

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TIMELY RECIPES
Iced Timbale of Chicken.—Line a timbale with pale aspic jelly and decorate it with diamond-shaped pieces of truffle, tongue, white of egg (hard boiled), and slices of olive. When the timbale is firmly set, fill the mould with a chicken mixture prepared according to the directions given below, and place on ice for several hours before it is required. Then turn the timbale carefully from the mould and fill the middle with a salad of French stoneless cherries. For the mixture, pass one pound of cooked chicken through a mincer, with the contents of a small terrine of pate de foie gras, then rub it through a wire and mix it with half a pint of pale aspic jelly (which should be liquid) a quarter of a pint of thick white sauce, which has been very nicely flavored, and a quarter of a pint of stiffly whipped cream. Season the mixture with salt, pepper, and nutmeg; add a tablespoonful of white wine, and whisk it for a few minutes before putting it into the prepared mould.
Apricot Souffle.—Put four tablespoonfuls of apricot jam, which has been passed through a sieve, into a basin, add a tablespoonful of lemon juice and a tablespoonful of kirsch, and mix well. Whisk the whites of six eggs to a very stiff froth, and mix them gradually with three tablespoonfuls of sieved icing sugar, then blend the beaten whites and the jam together, mixing them thoroughly but lightly; pour into a buttered souffle mould and bake in a quick oven. Serve the souffle accompanied by iced whipped cream flavored with kirsch and slightly sweetened.
Apricot Cream Cake.—Put a wine-glassful of cold water into a small saucepan with five ounces of loaf sugar; let it boil rapidly for five minutes; have ready in a basin the yolks of three and the whites of two eggs which have been beaten together. Pour the syrup in gradually and whisk the mixture steadily for half an hour, by the end of which time it should be a fairly stiff, creamy mass; add by degrees four ounces of flour, which has been passed through a sieve, mixing it lightly into the prepared mass with a wire whisk, but the mixture must not be beaten any more after the flour is added; just before it is used add the grated peel of a lemon. Pour it the moment it is ready, into a widely fluted mould, which has been brushed over liberally with warm butter and then evenly coated with castor sugar, and bake in a moderate oven from thirty to forty minutes. When ready turn the cake from the mould. As soon as it is cool, stand it on a basin of suitable size with the under side uppermost, and with a sharp knife cut off the bottom of the cake; then carefully remove the middle so as to leave it hollow. Having ready prepared the apricot cream according to directions given below. Fill the hollow in the cake with it. Then replace the slice that was removed, and leave it in a cold place until the cream is quite firm, then turn up the cake into its proper position. Glaze it with apricot glaze, and sprinkle it evenly all over with very finely chopped pistachio nuts. For the filling stew two pounds of apricots (sweetening them with castor sugar) and when they are quite soft pass them through a fine wire sieve. Measure just under three-quarters of a pint of the puree and reheat it in a small stewpan, then stir in fully three-quarters of an ounce of French leaf gelatine which has been melted in a small quantity of apricot syrup. Add a wineglassful of kirsch and turn the fruit into a basin to cool. Whip rather less than three-quarters of a pint of cream, sweeten it, and stir it lightly into the sieved fruit. Ascertains that there is sufficient sugar and whisk until it is light and spongy. The glaze is made thus: Put three-quarters of a pound of sieved icing sugar into a saucepan with three tablespoonfuls of apricot syrup, one tablespoonful of kirsch and a few drops of yellow coloring. Stir until warm and melted, then glaze the cake with it.

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A five hundred tournament is being arranged, consisting of a series of progressive games to be played at the rooms, every Thursday night, at 8 o'clock sharp, commencing on November 25th, and continuing until the end of the year. Prizes will be given and a nominal entrance fee of 25c. will be charged. Names of intending players should be handed in to the secretary as soon as possible. Full particulars will be given later. Those interested are asked to give in their names even if they cannot play. The object of this tournament is to provide a means whereby the people from the prairies can get a chance to meet and get better acquainted with each other.

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went to see my sister's baby, who was very
ill indeed. She had been up for nights
with him without undressing; he was cry-
ing all the time as with some internal pain.
The doctor told her he could do nothing
except put him in a warm bath, which gave
him a little ease for the time being."
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used for my own children; and next day
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intendent of Provincial Police for a re-
newal of license to sell intoxicating
liquors on the premises known as the
Colony Hotel, situated at 2170 Douglas St.,
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Colonel, B. C., 19th November, 1908.

News From Four Corners of B. C.

Interesting Happenings Gleaned From All Sources in the Province.

BAPTISTS MEET IN CONVENTION

A. B. McNeill, of Victoria, is
Elected President at An-
nual Meeting.

Vancouver, Nov. 13.—Optimism was
the keynote of the annual Baptist con-
vention which commenced yesterday
morning in the First Baptist church.
The annual report of the Board of Mis-
sions for British Columbia, which was
read by Rev. D. E. Hall, showed a year
of exceptional progress, in spite of the
financial stringency of the country. The
report in part was as follows:

"The work of the past year has been
accomplished under severe financial
strain and with some confusion of or-
ganization due to the existence of two
conventions, one at Vancouver and the
other at Seattle. It is, how-
ever, a cause for gratitude that con-
siderable advancement has been made, as
will appear, and that a good measure
of blessing has attended the work done.
The fields have been occupied through-
out the year almost without a break.
Strong men have replaced the workers
lost, and at the present time only one
of the churches is pastorless. Our mis-
sionaries have experienced a good deal
of anxiety over the uncertainty of their
grants, amounting in some instances to
actual hardship, but in spite of all dis-
couragements they have kept diligently
at work and the record will show prob-
ably the best year yet.

"Almost the entire amount of money
raised for general fund has gone
through the treasury of the larger con-
vention, which has stood responsible
for the payment of salaries. It is grati-
fying to know that the offerings of their
grants, amounting in some instances to
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"The laymen's missionary movement
has been but recently inaugurated
among us, but already there is reason
to believe that it will mean a great
accession of power and a large increase
of our resources for missionary work."
The district organization recom-
mended by the convention of Western
Canada has been in force throughout
the year and has proved very satisfactory.

"Since the last convention six
churches have been organized, viz.,
Rossland, Enderby, Salmon Arm,
Grandview and Central (Vancouver)
and North Vancouver, and five of these
will be self-supporting. Our present
list of churches includes 30, 19 of which
are self-supporting and 11 are receiving
aid from the board. During the year,
seven churches have been added to the
self-sustaining list, viz., Cranbrook,
Rossland, Kelowna, Vernon, Armstrong,
Enderby, Grandview, Central (Van-
couver), North Vancouver and Saanich.
In addition to these grants were re-
duced by the churches at Grand Forks,
Chilliwack, Nanaimo and Chemainus;
other similar changes will soon follow.

"Church buildings have been opened
in Grandview, Central Fairview, North
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"Sunday schools number 47, not
counting several union schools, in
which our people have a part. Young
people's societies number 13, and mis-
sion circles 23.

"The following pastors and mis-
sionaries have come to us since last
convention: Dr. Spencer, Emmanuel, Vic-
toria; Rev. P. C. Parker, Central
church, Vancouver; Rev. D. Long,
Grandview and North Vancouver; Rev.
J. R. Everett, Mount Pleasant, Van-
couver; Bro. Stearns, L. Grey, Ladner;
Rev. B. G. Stewart, Chilliwack; Rev.
William Stevenson, Kamloops; Bro. G.
H. Calhoun, Salmon Arm; Rev. W. F.
Freeman, Revelstoke; Rev. B. S. Free-
man, Enderby, Armstrong and Vernon;
Rev. A. F. Baker, Penticton; Bro. D.
M. Thomson, Rossland; Rev. A. N.
Frith, Nelson. In addition to these
thirteen men, twelve are still in the
convention who were with us last year,
making a total of twenty-five, as
against eighteen at convention time
last year, a net gain of seven."

The convention was opened by de-
votional exercises conducted by Rev.
Dr. Long. In the absence of the Presi-
dent, A. B. McNeill, of Victoria,
was appointed to the chair. Rev.
James A. Banton on behalf of the First
Baptist church gave a welcome to the
delegates, and then the business of the
convention was commenced.

The convention continued its session
in the afternoon. The convention chose
for president, A. B. McNeill, of Vic-
toria, first vice-president, Rev. H. G.
Eastabrooke, of Cranbrook; second
vice-president, E. L. Webber, of New
Westminster. The delegates decided
that it was well to be free from too
much ecclesiasticism, and so chose two
laymen, Rev. W. W. Auvache, of Grand
Forks, was chosen secretary-treasurer
as an appreciation of his work for sev-
eral years.

At the evening session Rev. P. H. Mc-
Ewen, who has been identified with
Baptist work in the province for seven-
teen years, gave an interesting review
of the twelve years of the convention's
history.
Rev. W. T. Stackhouse, general su-
perintendent of Baptist missionary
work, spoke on the outlook for Baptist

LADYSMITH TO VOTE ON SEWERAGE SYSTEM

Scheme to Cost \$50,000—Fa-
vorable Verdict is Expected
Next Week.

(Special Correspondence).
Ladysmith, Nov. 19.—Building is
still going on in the town. Ald.
Campbell has finished his new store
on the corner of Gaitacre street and
First avenue, and Messrs. Walters &
Abenhead, the drygoods firm, has al-
ready taken possession. The new store
means a great improvement to the ap-
pearance of the street, and inside the
store is one of the most commodious
in town. W. B. Smith is busily en-
gaged completing the inside of the new
premises between Jones's hotel and the
Masonic hall, and a couple of weeks
should see others ready for occupation.
Among the residences Messrs. Nash-
well, Vicer & Hunter have taken pos-
session of theirs, and Messrs. Mc-
Clay and Bluffs are nearing com-
pletion. John Russell has got the
foundation laid for his new store on
High street, and it is hardly likely
that many more buildings will be
started until the bad weather is over.

CLUNG FOR HOURS TO OVERTURNED BOAT

Survivor of Lakelse Lake Ac-
cident Has Close Call
for Life.

W. J. Guiney, of the Lakelse Lake
country, arrived in Prince Rupert on Fri-
day, says the Prince Rupert Empire. He
was with Joe Hartnett when the latter
was drowned in the lake on October 28th
through a sudden squall upsetting their
boat. The boat-bottomed and they
had a sail up. A squall came so
sudden that they had not time to lower
the sail before the boat was upset, and
for two hours both men clung to the
overtaken boat. Hartnett got bumped,
let go, and sank before help came. Guiney
would have gone the same way, for he
was semi-conscious when he was picked
up by two men who came to the rescue.
They were working in the timber on a
creek that empties into the lake, and
were over a mile from the overturned boat.
They heard the cry for help and went to
the rescue in a canoe. Hartnett was 33
years old, and came from Shamrock, On-
tario. He and Mr. Guiney were partners
in a piece of land at the lake.

ALARMING BLAZE AT PORT ESSINGTON

Prompt Work of Volunteer
Firemen Prevents Serious
Damage.

(Special Correspondence).
Port Essington, Nov. 16. A fire which
for a time threatened to assume large
proportions, broke out in the black-
smith shop at the A. B. C. creamery
on Friday night, and only prompt work
by volunteer firemen prevented a seri-
ous blaze. The audience was just dis-
persing from a concert given in the
Cunningham hall when the fire-bell
sounded, and the crowd rushed to the
upper end of the town. As a strong
wind was blowing from the fireward,
the heart of the town it was feared
the place would be swept by flames.
Several householders began packing up
their effects preparing for a speedy flight.

The blacksmith shop, which is situ-
ated only a few yards from the main
building, was soon enveloped in flames,
and for a time it seemed as if the can-
nery itself could not possibly be saved.
Gradually, however, the efforts of the
volunteer firemen prevailed, as the
building is roofed and walled with cor-
rugated iron sheeting.

Port Essington Social Assembly gave
an enjoyable concert in the Cunning-
ham hall on Friday night. Among
those who contributed to the programme
were Mrs. Warner, Mrs. Cameron and
Mrs. Roy Troup, and Messrs. Henkin-
sap and Bailey. The solo of Mrs.
Troup were highly appreciated, and
she was twice recalled. Refreshments
were served by the ladies at the close
of the programme, and the remaining
hours till morning were spent in a
social dance.

VANCOUVER CIVIC CONTEST.

Mayor Bethune Declines Renomination
Alderman Stewart a Candidate.

Vancouver, Nov. 19.—Mayor Bethune
to-day declined renomination for an-
other year. Alderman Stewart will
run for the mayoralty.

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every country are short-sighted or other-
wise of defective vision.

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(Special Correspondence).
Ladysmith, Nov. 19.—The ratepayers
of the city will on Saturday, November
20th, ballot upon the question of a
sewer system for the town. The pre-
sent council was elected on the citi-
zens' league ticket, the two chief
items in which were electric lights and
the installation of a sewerage system
for the city. The council very speedily
redeemed its first pledge, but unfor-
seen difficulties have arisen to delay
the work on the second question.
The first step taken by the council
was to engage Mr. Mohun, of Victoria,
to draw up plans and specifications
and to give an estimate of the cost of
installing a complete system of sewer-
age. It was then found that the
survey of the city streets had not been
completed, and considerable time was
lost before it could be finished. Mr.
Mohun eventually completed his sur-
vey, and the figure quoted was \$50,-
000. The council accordingly has passed
a by-law for the raising of the sum,
and it is now before the ratepayers,
and will be voted on Saturday, the
20th.

There is little doubt that the by-law
will carry, for the election of the coun-
cil was practically a declaration in
favor of a sewer system. Since that
time the demand for it has increased
and with lights and a system of sewerage
the town will compare favorably with any
on the island.

GAZETTE NOTICES APPEARING THIS WEEK

Companies Incorporated Lo-
cally—Appointments Made
by Government.

This week's Provincial Gazette con-
tains notice of the following appoint-
ments:

To be Justices of the peace for the
province of British Columbia—August
Kibbee Stuart, of Lake Francois; Ar-
thur Langton Lazenby, of Hammond.
Howard Rummy, of 13 Craven street,
Strand, London, Eng., solicitor, to be
a commissioner for taking affidavits
within the counties of London, Middle-
sex, Sussex and Kent, for use in the
courts of British Columbia.

Alexander C. Minty, of Rock Bay,
Vancouver Island, to be deputy min-
ing recorder for the Nanaimo mining
division.

To be notaries public for the pro-
vince of British Columbia—Percy
Royer Brown, of New Westminster;
Wm. Harold Duncan Hais-Smelie, of
Proctor, West Kootenay.

Notice is given that at the next ses-
sion of the legislature application will
be made for a bill to authorize the
amalgamation of the water rights of
the Goldstream Estate Company and
the White Valley Irrigation & Power
Company in the Okanagan.

The following companies have been
incorporated:

Boundary Trust & Investment Com-
pany, capitalized at \$100,000.
Boydton Tug Boat Company, with a
capital stock of \$20,000, to purchase
from S. T. Mackenzie the tug Boydton,
Builders' Brick & Supply Company,
with a capital of \$100,000.

Cassiar Gold & Copper Company,
with a capital stock of \$150,000.

Dominion Amusement Company,
capitalized at \$25,000, to take over
amusement business in Vancouver.

Fertile Valley Land Company, with
a capital of \$20,000, to bring immigrants
into British Columbia.

Glen Valley Logging Company, with
a capital stock of \$25,000.

Young Bros., with a capital stock of
\$60,000 to carry on the tea business now
done by the company as a registered
foreign company.

The following companies have been
registered as extra provincial com-
panies:

Babine Timber Company, of Seattle,
with W. H. D. Ladner, of Vancouver,
as attorney for the company.

Hidden Creek Copper Company, of
Seattle, with H. G. Lawson, of Vic-
toria, attorney for the company.

International Prescription Company,
of San Francisco, with J. G. Davidson,
of Vancouver, as attorney for the
company.

Pittsburg-British Gold Company, of
Wilmington, Delaware, with A. D.
Taylor, of Vancouver, as attorney for
the company.

WEDDED AT NEW WESTMINSTER.

New Westminster, Nov. 19.—Margaret,
daughter of Mr. T. Gifford, M. P. E., was
united in marriage to Mr. Gowan Mo-
Gowan, bursar of the hospital for the in-
sane, yesterday. Following the formal
ceremony at the church a reception in
honor of the bride was given at the resi-
dence of Mr. T. Gifford, M. P. E. The
ceremony took place at St. Andrew's
Presbyterian church, Rev. J. S. Henderson
officiating. The bride was given away
by her father, attended by Miss
Julia Gifford, sister of the bride, while
Mr. Alf Johnston acted as best man.
After the reception at the bride's home
the happy couple left for the Sound on
their honeymoon trip amidst showers of
rice and good wishes.

The body contains enough salt to supply
the family for a month.
Hugh Conway sold "Calzed Back" for
\$100.

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PETER'S (English) PORTLAND CEMENT
Full weight Full strength
Pennsylvania Blacksmith Coal
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622 FORT STREET

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Railway Construction Starts Immediately
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Lots in Heart of Rising City From \$60 Up
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We are prepared to show you a selection from over five hundred articles which are as useful as they are attractive.

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A. SHERET
TELEPHONE NO. 629 710 FORT ST.

WILL DIVIDE MUNICIPALITY.

Vancouver, Nov. 19.—In order to ar-
range a street car service to suit them-
selves, the property owners on the
English Bay side of Point Grey are
preparing to apply to the legislature
for the division of that municipality
into two.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF BRITISH COLUMBIA.

In the Matter of the Estate of John G.
Cleaver, Deceased, Intestate, and in
the Matter of the Official Adminis-
trator's Act.

Notice is hereby given that under an
order made by the Hon. the Chief Justice,
dated 16th November, 1908, I, the under-
signed, was appointed administrator of
the estate of the above deceased. All
parties having claims against the said
estate are required to send particulars of
the claim to me on or before the 25th day
of December, 1908, and all parties indebted
to the said estate are required to pay
such indebtedness to me forthwith.
Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 20th day
of November, 1908.

W. MONTEITH,
Official Administrator.

CIVIC NOTICE.

The Municipal Council of the Corpora-
tion of the City of Victoria having de-
termined that it is desirable to construct
the following works of local improvement on
the streets hereunder mentioned, viz.:

1. Permanent sidewalks on both sides
of Langford street, from Russell street,
westerly to the intersection of the first
Alley, and drain, grade and macadamize
the same.

2. Permanent sidewalks on both sides of
Alpha street, from Burnside road to
Douglas street, and drain, grade and ma-
cadamize the same.

3. Permanent sidewalks on both sides of
North Park street, and drain, grade and
macadamize the same; also to con-
struct boulevards on both sides of said
street, with curbs and gutters (including
maintenance).

4. To grade, macadamize and drain Har-
rison street, between Fort street and
Pandora avenue, and construct perma-
nent sidewalks on both sides thereof, with
curbs, gutters and boulevards (including
maintenance).

5. To grade, macadamize and drain Cook
street, from the south side of Pandora
avenue to the south side of Fakington
street, and boulevard same (including
maintenance), with curbs and gutters on
street.

6. Permanent sidewalk on the north
side of Dallas road, from Douglas street
to Government street, and from South
Turner street to Montreal street.

7. Permanent sidewalk on the north
side of Dallas road, between Government
street and South Turner street.

And that such and all of said works
shall be carried out in accordance with
the provisions of the Local Improvement
General By-Law, and amendment there-
to, and the City Engineer and City As-
sessor having reported to the Council, in
accordance with the provisions of Section
4 of the said By-Law, upon each and every
of said works of local improvement, giving
statements showing the amounts esti-
mated to be chargeable, in each case
against the various portions of real prop-
erty to be benefited by the said works,
and the reports of the City Engineer and
City Assessor aforesaid having been
adopted by the Council.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the
said reports are open for inspection at
the office of the City Assessor, City Hall,
Douglas street.

WELLINGTON J. DOWLER, C. M. C.
Victoria, B. C., City Clerk's Office, Nov.
19, 1908.

Notice is hereby given that on the 25th
day of December, 1908, I shall apply to
the Board of Licensing Commissioners for
Victoria City for a transfer of the license
to sell liquor by retail at the premises
known as the St. George's Inn, on the
Seawall road, Victoria, B. C., from the
late Thos. Griffiths to the undersigned,
Alice Griffiths.

Dated at Victoria, B. C., this 20th day of
November, 1908.

ALICE GRIFFITHS.

Will be received up to 4 p. m. on
Monday, the 23rd inst., for the
making and supplying of 20 Fire
Hydrants, as per specifications,
which can be seen at the office of
the undersigned, to whom tenders
must be sent.

The lowest or any tender not
necessarily accepted.
WM. W. NORTHCOTT,
Purchasing Agent.
City Hall, Nov. 11th, 1908.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS

Accountants

F. R. SARGISON, auditing, bookkeep-
ing. Books balanced and annual stat-
ements made, 1203 Langley.

Architects

H. J. ROUS CULLIN, Architect, -
Promis Building, 1004 Government St.
Victoria, B. C.
H. S. GRIFFITH, 14 Promis Block, 100
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ING, 1223 Douglas street. Pupils receive
ed or visited by or of evening. Special
attention to cases of neglected edu-
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Jewell Block, cor. Yates and Douglas
streets, Victoria, B. C. Telephone
Office, 527; Residence, 122.

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SHORTHAND SCHOOL, 1109 Broad St.
Shorthand, typewriting, bookkeeping,
telegraphy thoroughly taught. E. A.
Macmillan, principal.

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GEO. A. SMITH, C. E., B. C. Land Sur-
veyor, Alberni, B. C. Mining claims
timber limits and subdivisions.
T. S. GORE and J. M. McFEGOR, Brit-
ish Columbia Land Surveyors, Chan-
cery Chambers, 12 Langley St., P. O.
Box 102.

EDWARD S. WILKINSON, British Colum-
bia Land Surveyor, 1204 Government
street, P. O. Box 50. Phone 614.

Legal

C. W. BRADSHAW, Barrister, etc. Law
Chambers, Bastion street, Victoria.
MURPHY & FISHER, Barristers, Solici-
tors, 202 O'Connell, Victoria. De-
partmental and Patent Office Agents.
Practice before Railway Commission.
Hon. Charles Murphy, M. P., and Harold
Fisher.

W. G. WINTERBURN, M. I. N. A., Con-
sulting Mechanical Engineer and Sur-
veyor. Estimates for all kinds of ma-
chinery, gasoline engines, etc., specially.
Phone 1531, 1537 Oak Bay avenue, Vic-
toria, B. C.

MR. BERGSTROM BJORNHELT, Mas-
sage, Room 1, Vernon Block, Douglas
street, Victoria, B. C. Office hours 1 to
5 p. m.

Mining Engineers

DONALD G. FORBES, Mining and
Metallurgical Engineer. Examinations
and reports made on mining prop-
erties. Board of Trade Building, Vic-
toria, B. C.

Osteopath

C. CLINTON MERRELL—Osteopath.
Acute and chronic diseases treated; 12
years' experience. Imperial Hotel,
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MECHANIC THERAPIST—W. R. Gal-
loway, M. T. D. Acute and chronic dis-
eases treated. Room 10, Promis Block,
1004 Government street.

Piano and Organ Tuning

JESSE A. LONGFIELD (from Hopkin-
son's, England), tunes and repairs
pianos, harmoniums, American organs,
pipe organs, etc., on reasonable terms.
Prompt attention given to all orders.
2527 Government St., Victoria, B. C.
Phone 1549. P. O. Drawer 376.

Singing

J. M. MORGAN, Teacher of Voice Pro-
duction and Musical Instruction, Room 9,
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ductor of Resolute Harmonic Society,
Welsh Baptist Choral Union, the cele-
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Agents Wanted

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Automobiles

CLARK'S GARAGE, 42 Yates street. Repairs, supplies, storage, care for hire. Ford agents for B. C. Issues of Clark's list of second-hand cars.

Bakery

FOR CHOICE FAMILY BREAD, Cakes, Confectionery, etc., try D. W. Hanbury, 12 Fort St., or visit up Phone 33 and you will receive prompt attention.

HEALTH BAKERY—Digestive Wheat Meal. A brown bread of the highest order, quite distinct from ordinary brown bread. It is well and keeps your health. Just the thing. A diet to digestion, not a mixture of bran and flour. Try a loaf; you'll be convinced. Note address. Health Bakeries, Pandora and Broughton streets.

Boot and Shoe Repairing

NO MATTER where you bought your shoes, bring them here to be repaired. 1111 1/2 Oriental Ave., opposite Panage Theatre.

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A VERY manufacturer of standard high grade concrete building blocks. Artistic work in concrete executed to order. Contracts taken for entire buildings, foundations and fences. Fine concrete work our specialty. 1009 Douglas street. Phone A113.

CONTRACTORS AND BUILDERS—W. Lang, Contractor and Builder, jobbing and repairing. 31 Avalon road, James Bay. Phone A113.

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Builders and Contractors. DINSDALE, 210 Douglas St. MALCOLM, 52 Hillside Ave.

NOTICE—ROCK BLASTED. Wells, cellars, foundations, etc. No place too difficult. Rock for sale. Terms reasonable. J. R. Williams, 608 Michigan street. Phone A113.

Chimney Sweeping

LLOYD & CO., practical chimney sweepers and house-cleaners. 114 Pandora St.; grates firebricks, flues altered, vacant houses cleaned ready for occupation. Phone 1577.

CHIMNEYS CLEANED—Delective flues fixed, etc. Wm. Neal, 214 Quadra street. Phone 1013.

Chinese Goods and Labor

PORCELAIN, brassware, silks and curios extensive assortment. All kinds of Chinese labor supplied. Tim Kee, 1005 Government street.

Cleaning and Tailoring Works. LADIES' AND GENTS' clothes cleaned, dyed, repaired and pressed; umbrellas also repaired and re-covered. Guy W. Walker, 716 Johnson St., just east of Douglas. Phone A127.

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LETTER HEADS, BILL HEADS, bird's-eye views, and all classes of engravings for newspaper or catalogue work, at the B. C. Engraving Co., Times Building, Victoria.

Dyeing and Cleaning

B. C. STEAM DYE WORKS—The largest dyeing and cleaning works in the province. Country orders solicited. Tel. 200. J. C. Renfrew, proprietor.

VICTORIA STEAM DYE WORKS—113 Yates street. Tel. 111. All kinds of laundry and gentlemen's tailors' garments cleaned or dyed and pressed equal to new.

PAUL'S DYEING AND CLEANING WORKS, 120 Fort street. Tel. 621.

Employment Agencies

THE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY. MRS. P. K. TURNER. 605 (40) Fort St. Hours, 10 to 5. Phone 1532.

WING ON—Chinese Employment and Labor Contractor. All kinds of Chinese help furnished, washing and ironing, wood cutting, land clearing, house work, cooks, farm hands, gardening, scavenging, also Chinese interpreters and translators. 1705 Government St. Phone 33.

JAPANESE, HINDU AND CHINESE EMPLOYMENT OFFICE—All kinds of labor supplied at short notice, general contractor. 1011 Government St. Tel. 1520.

ALL KINDS of Chinese labor supplied. T. H. Thompson, 1205 Government street. Phone A170.

Engravers

GENERAL ENGRAVER, Stencil Cutter and Seal Engraver. Geo. Crowther, 515 Wharf street, behind Post Office.

Furrier

FRED. FOSTER, Taxidermist and Furrier, 43 Johnson street.

MRS. E. R. ROBERTS—Manufacturing and repairing furs. Room 50, Five Sisters' Block. Phone 1705.

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B. C. SAND & GRAVEL CO., foot Johnson street. Tel. 138. Producers of washed sand, gravel, crushed granite, and all kinds of material for concrete work of all kinds, delivered by team in the city, or on a cart at pit, on Royal Bay.

Hardy Plants

GET OUR LISTS—Three of them. Bulbs, Roses and Hardy Plants. We handle only varieties suitable for this climate, and our lists tell you what you want to know. Flewlin's Gardens, 604 Haywood avenue.

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HORSE-SHOEING—Work executed in first-class manner by most competent men. John McKay, successor to Wm. Hodge, 40 Johnson street, Victoria, B.C.

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I WANT TO SET those missing stones in your jewelry. Harris, expert diamond and general setter, respectfully begs the esteemed favor of your patronage. Good work, prompt attention, reasonable charges. I want work. Advice by post card. Harris, care of Mount Talmie P.O.

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THE WESTERN LITHOGRAPH CO., 555 Yates street. Producers of fine lithography and artistic color work. Estimates and samples upon request.

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L. RAFFER, General Machinist, No. 120 Government street. Tel. 353.

Merchant Tailors

WING FOK YUEN, 21 or 47 Cornorant street. Clothes cleaned, pressed and repaired.

Metal Polish

GLOBE METAL POLISH cleans silver, brass and copper. For sale by The Store Hardware Co., Ltd.

Moving Picture Machines

MOTION PICTURE—A new supply of first-class "Pathe" film and projecting lanterns for sale, at Maynard's Photo Stock House, 15 Pandora street.

Nursing Homes

MRS. WALKER, 1017 Burdette avenue. Comfortable home, skilled nursing, moderate terms. Phone A1400.

MISS E. H. JONES, 721 Vancouver St.

Painter and Decorator

JAMES SCOTT ROSS, 516 Pandora Ave., expert paperhanger, skilled decorator, rooms papered or painted cheap. Signs, Estimates. Write or telephone A113.

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MONEY LOANED on diamonds, jewelry and personal effects. A. Aaronson, 607 Johnson and Broad.

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SEWER PIPE, Field Tile, Ground Fire Clay, Flower Pots, etc. B. C. Pottery Co., Ltd., corner Broad and Pandora streets, Victoria, B. C.

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VICTORIA SCAVENGING CO.—Office, 716 Yates street. Phone 621. Ashes and garbage removed.

WING ON & SON—All kinds of scavenger work, yard cleaning, etc. Office, 1109 Government St. Phone 22.

Second-Hand Goods

WANTED—Old coats and vests, pants, boots and shoes, trunks, valises, shotguns, revolvers, etc. Highest cash prices paid. Will call at any address. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 72 Johnson street, four doors below Government St. Phone 374.

WANTED—Scrap brass, copper, zinc, lead, tin, and all kinds of metal. Highest cash prices paid. Victoria Junk Agency, 1530 Store street. Phone 1532.

Signs

UP-TO-DATE SIGN and glass painting. All kinds. Bulletin, Show Cards, Window Tickets. Victoria Sign Works, 114 Pandora. Phone A171.

Stoves

STOVES, RANGES AND HEATERS of all kinds. For sale by N. R. Ford, 1001 Douglas St. Phone A162.

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TRIMBLE & SON, general teaming, plumbing and excavating. 17 Putman street. Phone A148.

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TRUCKING—Quick service, reasonable charges. J. B. Jones, Baker's Ford Store, 50 Yates street.

VICTORIA TRUCK AND DRAY CO.—Telephone 13. Stable Phone 24.

Watch Repairing

A. PETCH, 60 Douglas street. Specialty in English watch repairing. All kinds of clocks and watches repaired.

NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that we intend to apply to the Board of Licensing Commissioners for the City of Victoria, at its next session, for a transfer of the license to sell intoxicating liquors on the premises situated at the corner of Johnson and Store streets, in the City of Victoria, known as the Grand Pacific Hotel, from John Vairo and Virginia Bargetto to Virginia Bargetto and Joseph Glachier, of the city aforesaid.

Dated this second day of November, 1908, at Victoria, B. C.
JOHN VAIRO,
VIRGINIA BARGETTO,
Applicants.

Business Chances.

A BETTER OPPORTUNITY for investment than has been offered recently in B. C. A manufacturing and industrial business in Vancouver that is expanding and placing shares on the market at par. Will bear the most thorough investigation, and is too good to be missed by those looking for a sound and highly profitable investment. For full particulars address Box 245, Times.

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TO LET—Furnished five bedroom house, for married couple, three minutes from Douglas St. Telephone. Apply Davidson, Sons & Co., Hillside Ave.

TO LET—4 roomed house, 725 Market St., rent \$15. Apply 725 Market St.

TO LET—Seven roomed cottage, on Stanley Avenue, near Fort street; possession 12th November; rent \$25. Heisterman & Co.

FURNISHED HOUSE FOR RENT. Apply 1111 Quadra street.

Houses for Sale

FOR SALE—2 good houses and 1 cottage, Burdette Ave., on good terms and low price; cottage close in, only \$1,250, terms. Hodgson, Empire Realty Co., 612 Yates street.

FOR SALE—New, strictly modern home, furnished, best part city, 8 roomed house, excellent basement, \$5,000; furniture, \$5,000; price \$10,000; terms. P. O. Drawer 686.

FOR RENT OR SALE—House and one acre, stables and chicken house, at Mt. Talmie. 525 William street, Victoria.

FOR SALE—New 1 roomed cottage and two lots, cheap, 122 Ladysmith street.

Help Wanted—Male

WANTED—Caretaker for Metropolitan Methodist church; salary \$50 per month. Address: Application to Secretary, P. O. Box 438, city.

WANTED—Smart, strong boy to learn the sheet metal business. Apply Patterson & Gotsch, 725 Yates street.

WANTED—Smart boy for store. Apply Box 255, Times Office.

WANTED—Messengers, with wheels. Apply Hasty Messenger Co., 1213 Langley street.

Help Wanted—Female

WANTED—For Oak Bay, young girl as nursemaid; wages \$10. Address Box 274, Times Office.

Housekeeping Rooms

TO LET—Three partly furnished housekeeping rooms, all modern conveniences. 1101 Chambers street.

TO LET—Hotel Canada, 1113 Broad St. Furnished housekeeping and furnished rooms. Phone 1564.

Lost and Found

FOUND—English setter bitch, white, with blue ticks. Owner will have same by proving property. Apply R. Johnson, 1050 Yates street.

FOUND—A bracelet. Apply at Times Office.

Miscellaneous

BARGAIN STORES for furniture, stoves, heaters, etc. J. J. Whitmore, 1112 Blanchard street, near Yates.

FOR GOLD DREDGING STOCK of Yukon and Yukon Territory, see W. H. Chadsey, Dominion Hotel.

SCIENTIFIC PALMIST AND PSYCHIC—Florence White, Parlor 14, King Edward Hotel. Advice, business, health and social affairs; examination of horoscopes, 10 to 6; open evenings.

HACKS' PHONE 55, Victoria Hack Stand, cor. Yates and Government St.

NOTICE—Lee Sing and Lee Mow hereby give notice that they have this day bought the California Restaurant, Johnson street, from A. Berg. All accounts against the restaurant to be presented on or before November 12th. New meal tickets are on sale. Old tickets not recognized. Open from 8 a.m. to 12 p.m. Good cooking. Nov. 5th, 1908.

LADIES' MASQUERADE SUITS AND WIGS for hire, at Mrs. Koche's hair-dressing parlors, 1105 Douglas street.

EVERY SUFFERER FROM RHEUMATISM can be cured by wearing a Lion Anti-Rheumatic Ring. For sale by Redford, Government street.

ARTHUR J. FOXALL, Teacher of Piano-forte, 101 Douglas street; terms moderate; pupils visited; good recommendations.

FOR FRESH CIGARS and tobacco, and all the latest news, see Joe McDowell, King's Hotel, Clear and News Stand, next to Panage.

WANTED—From 2 to 5 acres improved land with buildings, near city. Box 60.

MISS GALLAGHAN, Dressmaker, 1412 Quadra street.

WHO, WHY, WHEN, WHERE, to make profitable investments, in the late Cecil Rhodes. Most interesting report free. Engineer, 205 Quay, Washington, D. C.

MALE SICK NURSE AND ATTENDANT—Experienced, physical or mental. Walker, 1017 Burdette avenue. Phone A160.

MISS WILSON, Dressmaker, has removed her workrooms from the Promis Block to her home on Oak Bay avenue, 2nd house past Paul Bay road. Phone B162.

NOTICE—For the next six weeks I, the undersigned, will act as convalescent for foot lengths and take sewing machine to cut in yards, alleyways and vacant lots, in lots of 2 cords and upwards. Try the old way and see what you are getting. J. R. Grice, 202 Douglas street, Victoria, B. C. Phone 149.

The Seaman's Institute

48 BASTION SQUARE.
(In affiliation with the British and Foreign Seamen's Society, England).
Open daily, for free use of seamen only, from 1 to 12 p.m., Sunday, 9 to 5 p.m.

Lots for Sale

FOR SALE—Several acres at Shoal Bay, which we can sell at a bargain. Empire Realty Co., 612 Yates street.

FOR SALE—Lots, very cheap, on Poulton street, between Fort street and Oak Bay. Very good, dry, level land, good soil, no rock, single lots from \$25,000 to \$100,000. Terms, 1 year, balance 12 and 18 months. E. C. B. Bagshawe, 612 Fort street.

FOR SALE—Four lots on Hillside avenue. Apply 429 Johnson street, or telephone 1008. Mrs. E. Cooney.

FOR SALE—Good lots, together, in vicinity of C. P. R. wharf; ideal site for hotel or apartment house, \$2,500 each; easy terms. Yates & Jay, solicitors for owner, 546 Bastion street, Victoria.

GOOD BUILDING LOT—Prospect road, close to Fort street and car line, good black soil, for quick sale \$250; 3 acres, rich black loam, cleared and fenced, good for nursery, \$3,000, liberal terms, 1 mile from City Hall. E. White, 626 Fort street.

FOR SALE—Good buys in lots, close in, from \$150 up. Apply to C. H. Beveridge, 612 Truncheon Ave.

Miscellaneous Goods for Sale
CELLO FOR SALE—Very old instrument, by Kennedy. Address Box 40, Times Office.

FOR SALE—A fur coat and a gun. Apply Smith, Beaumont P. O.

CANADIAN NORTHWEST OIL—700 shares at 75c. Maymirth & Co., Malton Bldg.

FOR IMMEDIATE SALE—1,000 or 2,000 Canadian Northwest Oil. See Apply Holmes, 515 Yates.

LARGE GEESSE, 175 each; 2 fine sheepsheads and 1 billy, \$1 each. Fetherston, Cedar Vale, 15 Mount Talmie.

FOR SALE—New buggies, delivery and express wagons, also motor cars, leather broaders. Walker, 2133 Delta street. Phone 1794.

FOR SALE—Milkwood, \$100 double load; cordwood, \$5.50; also dry slabs. Haul, Phone 1124.

FOR SALE—Horse, young, sound and thoroughly broke. Apply Thorpe & Co., Ltd.

BICYCLE CAPES, all sizes, at Harris & Smith's, 1250 Broad street.

ENGLISH WHEELS at great bargain. In order to make room for 1909 stock, now is your chance; also bargains in all other departments. At Harris & Smith's.

FOR SALE—Pure bred Dorking cockerels and pullets; also prize strain light Brahma cockerels. Address W. B. A. Times Office.

FOR SALE—Incubator and brooder. Apply 1113 Johnson street.

FOR SALE—A good paying business in this city. Owner leaving town. Address Box 138, Times Office.

FOR SALE—Revolver, 22 cal., \$2.75; suit case, \$2.00; 22 cal. revolver, \$2.50; roller skates, \$2.50; children's roller skates, \$1.75; heavy wool blankets, \$2.50; wire fence, stretch complete, \$2.50; army overcoats, \$2.50. Jacob Aaronson's new and second-hand store, 72 Johnson street, four doors below Government.

FOR SALE—One second-hand Houston tenor, one Smith's tenor, one shaper, one ten-inch stick, one small dynamo, one small engine; also 6 heavy duty. Apply Taylor Mill Company, 2118 Government St., or P. O. Box 65.

FOR SALE—Spring wagon, \$35; buggy, top, \$20; 22 cal. revolver, \$2.50.

FOR SALE—Waltham watches, \$4 up; large canvas bag, \$2; coat \$14; leather leggings, 75c.; 10-inch regatta, 50c.; magic lantern, \$1.50; coat \$15; curios; also all kinds of odds. Apply at J. J. Fisher's Carriage Shop, 612 Discovery street.

FOR SALE—A few new buggies, latest style, second-hand buggies, wagons and carts, two good fresh calved cows; also all kinds of odds. Apply at J. J. Fisher's Carriage Shop, 612 Discovery street.

TO LET—Comfortably furnished rooms, in a private family, with or without board, electric light, bath; terms moderate. 1 minute from car line. Apply 1027 Caledonia Ave.

TO RENT—Furnished room, for one or two gentlemen, reasonable; close in. 78 Piquette street.

COMFORTABLY FURNISHED ROOMS, 1113 Second street, near Douglas. Apply at 1113 Second street, near Douglas.

TO LET—Furnished rooms, with or without board, or for light housekeeping. 1005 Quadra St. Phone 250.

TO RENT—Nicely furnished rooms. 50 Fort street. Phone B148.

FURNISHED ROOMS from \$5 a month; room and board, \$5 a week. 721 Piquette street, city.

A FEW newly furnished rooms from \$5 per month, Blanchard St., one block from Library. Inquire Pandora Hotel.

TO LET—Furnished rooms, single or double, electric lights in every room. Apply 716 Yates street.

"THE HOLLIERS"—Board and room—256 Courtney. Phone A162.

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OPINE THAT LITIGATION
HARASSES LABOR

Labor Men in Convention Decide to "Disobey" Injunction.

Denver, Col., Nov. 20.—The entire session of the American Federation of Labor convention yesterday was given over to consideration of the report of the committee on the proposed report. Two sections caused a prolonged debate, and a vote was reported on only one, that referring to "litigation harassing labor."

The report of the committee recommending that injunctions be disregarded was defeated on roll-call and a modification of the report adopted. On the subject, "Litigation Harassing Labor," the report declared that when a judge issued an injunction in labor disputes it was the duty of organized labor to disobey and go to jail, and advised that the funds of the organization be not used to defend any such suit, because it would be a useless expenditure.

James Duncan, of the granite cutters' organization, moved to strike out the words advising labor men to disobey injunctions.

John Mitchell offered a second amendment to insert certain words so that the report should read; with the amendments of Delegate Duncan and himself, as follows: "Whenever the courts issue an injunction to regulate our personal relations, we declare we will exercise all the rights and privileges guaranteed by the constitution and laws of our country, and insist that it is our duty to defend ourselves at all hazards, and recommend that such be our action, taking whatever results may follow."

The amendments were adopted.

CATTLE DISEASE
IN TWO STATES

(Continued from page 1.)

Infection. It is announced that more than 200 men will start to-day to disinfest the East Buffalo yards, which work will require three weeks. The Union Stock Yards in Pittsburg were ordered quarantined yesterday but the managers announced last night that this probably would be removed to-day.

Measures at Buffalo.

Buffalo, N. Y., Nov. 20.—Commissioner R. A. Pearson, in a further statement relative to the quarantining of the East Buffalo stock yards, says: "The practical effect of these quarantine orders upon the great packing interests centered at Buffalo is a relatively unimportant matter. The disease has not been found here. Slaughtering and packing can go on."

Thanks to the prompt and energetic action of Vice-President Lincoln, of the Live Stock Association, and his associates, thorough precautionary disinfection measures have been in force at the stock yards now for several days, and it is expected that through shipments of cattle from unsuspected sources may continue as heretofore. Temporarily, during the period of the quarantine, the sale of milk cows and stockers will be suspended.

Buffalo commission men say that the infected cattle came through Canada from the west, and that no epidemic ever existed in the Buffalo yards.

"Shipped From Canada."

Pittsburg, Pa., Nov. 20.—The Union Stock Yards in this city are included in the Federal livestock quarantine declared against Pennsylvania and New York, because of the outbreak of "foot and mouth" disease reported from the East Buffalo yards. Livestock dealers state that the diseased cattle which occasioned the quarantine were shipped from Canada to eastern markets and no stock from that infected territory is handled in the local yards.

Britain on Watch.

London, Nov. 20.—The announcement of the outbreak in New York state as well as in Pennsylvania of the "foot and mouth" disease among cattle has caused considerable perturbation here, as the prohibition of the importation of cattle from the port of New York opens up the prospect of a serious shortage in the meat supply of Great Britain and a consequent rise in the prices. As soon as the first information of the outbreak of the disease reached the British Board of Agriculture, two days ago the entire staff of inspectors was at once mobilized to meet all incoming ships to prevent the introduction of the disease into this country. The importation of hay and straw as well as livestock from Pennsylvania has been prohibited.

MOROS UP IN ARMS.

Manila, Nov. 20.—Several hundred warlike Moros have gathered near Malabang. A column of five companies of infantry with a couple of guns has been sent out to make a reconnaissance. It is hoped that after a parley the Moros will disband peacefully. The results of the expedition have not yet been reported to Manila.

MANUFACTURERS FEAR LOSS OF B. C. MARKET

Agents of Association Complain of British Competition.

J. E. Walsh and R. W. Breadner, of Toronto, are the only two guests of the Royal Alexandra hotel, says the Winnipeg Free Press. These gentlemen are identified with the work of the Canadian Manufacturers' Association, and are in the west for the purpose of securing information and of rendering service to the members in this province. Mr. Walsh is the transportation manager and Mr. Breadner the tariff manager for the association. They will go through to the Pacific coast, and will also make special inquiry into matters in British Columbia. In an interview with a reporter of the Free Press, Mr. Walsh stated that serious inroads had been made on the trade of British Columbia by British shippers to the detriment of the manufacturers of Canada, large consignments being conveyed to the Pacific coast from Great Britain by way of the Suez canal. This freight was carried by these vessels at a low rate and the amount of it was considerable. No perishable goods could be taken, but all package freight, which was not of this class was accepted. The charges for the transportation of similar goods from eastern Canada by rail were naturally high and it was the purpose of the representation of the association to look into the entire question and to ascertain whether there was not some method by which the manufacturers of eastern Canada could be placed on a footing of greater equality with the manufacturers of Great Britain in this regard. Mr. Walsh stated that there were a number of minor questions connected with transportation into which he would go with western shippers while he was in the west. The officers of the association kept in very close touch with the railway commission and many matters in which the association was deeply interested came before that body for adjudication.

A FLOATING SLUM.

Stand beside the Imperial custom house at Canton and let the eye range down the river towards Hongkong. As far as the sight can reach lie boats, boats, and again boats. These are no ordinary craft, mere vessels of transport hither and thither, but the countless homes of myriad Chinese, in which millions of human beings have been born, have lived, and have died. They are the dwellings of the very poor, who live in them practically free from rent, taxes, and the other burdens of the ordinary citizen.

The Tankia (which means boat-dwellers), as the denizens of these floating houses are called, form a sort of caste apart from the rest of the Cantonese. The shore dwellers regard them as belonging to a lower social order, and indeed, they have many customs, peculiar to themselves, which mark them as a separate community. How the swarming masses of them contrive to support existence is a mystery, but their chief mode of employment is in cutting merchandise and passengers from place to place. In some cases the daughters of the family go ashore to work in factories, as do the girls of other countries; but the year's earnings of a Chinese factory girl would scarce suffice to buy a single hat for her western sister. It is of course hardly necessary to point out that, as against this low rate of pay, the standard of living is correspondingly different.

The "houses" which make up these floating slums are of all sizes. Some are but fifteen feet long. From these cramped dimensions, however, they range up to a length of fifty and sixty feet. A boat large enough to accommodate a family of moderate size can be obtained for \$25, and since the anchorage is free it is obvious that the Tankia effects many savings impossible to the shore-dweller.—A. E. Johnson, in the Lady's Realm.

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MISSSES' BOOTS, \$2.00, for	\$1.00	BOYS' STRONG WINTER BOOTS, \$1.50 and	\$1.25
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OLD BIBLE PRINTING WORKS.

Oxford University Press Dates Back to Fifteenth Century.

Probably the most ancient Bible printing works in the world is the Oxford University Press, which dates back to the fifteenth century. At the present time this press is turning out Bibles at the rate of over 1,000,000 a year, in 150 different languages, ranging from Eskimo to Indian. Moreover, Bibles of all sizes are produced, from the large folio Bible for the reading desk down to the smallest Bible, which weighs only three ounces.

There are two departments to this famous press—the learned press and the Bible press. The learned press employ about 300 persons, chiefly compositors and proof-readers, and set up in type the numerous classical English and Oriental works for which the press is famous. The average production of the learned press is now about one book for every working day—that is to say, about 220 a year. At the Bible press 400 persons, with 60 modern printing machines, produce on an average 3,000 copies of the Bible, not to mention prayer books, every day. The wholesale binding work is done in London, and the skins of 100,000 animals are used every year for the covers of Oxford Bibles alone.

One of the feats of the Clarendon Press was performed in connection with the Caxton exhibition in 1877, which was opened by Mr. Gladstone. The list of Bibles was headed by the first Bible printed (1460-37), and ended with one printed and bound within the twelve hours which preceded Mr. Gladstone's speech. The printing at Oxford actually began at two in the morning from movable type. Exactly

100 copies, each containing 1,022 pages, were printed and numbered consecutively; the sheets were artificially dried and sent up to London by the 9 o'clock morning express.

They were at once bound at the Oxford University Press Bindery in London, in Turkey paper, with gold lettering and the arms of the university on the side, and a parcel containing ten copies was taken in the afternoon. No wonder Mr. Gladstone said this feat might be called "the climax and consummation of printing."

SERPENT SAVED BOY'S LIFE.

India Village School Story Quite Oriental in Details.

A strange story is given by a subscriber of a drama said to have happened in a Jubbulpore village school. A few days ago one of the teachers detained a Malay boy, wearing ornaments, after school hours, saying that he would not be allowed to go home till he had prepared his day's lesson. When the rest of the students had gone away and there was none to watch them, the master shut the boy up in a small room and demanded all his ornaments.

On the latter's refusal the master gave him several cuts with a blunt knife. At the knife was too bad to kill the boy, and the boy also was suffering from excruciating pain, he requested his teacher to kill him by a stone lying in the school compound. No sooner said than the master agreed to it and went to bring the stone. The master had hardly lifted the stone when a black serpent rose up and coiled itself round his arms.

The half dead boy, seeing that his master did not come back, shouted, and some passersby came there. Seeing the boy in this state, they informed the police, who reached there immediately. The unfortunate master was still in that condition. Seeing the police, the serpent left its prisoner, and the master was arrested. Pains Akbar.